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TIDE OF BATTLE SHIFTS SWIFTLY

REBELS WIN AND LOSE

Government Calls Up More Troops

PLAN TO EXTERMINATE RIGHTIST PARTIES

London, July 31.

While the Spanish insurgents claim to have reached a point only eleven miles from Madrid, the Government claims that the rebel forces have been routed thirty-five miles from the capital, to the west, with a loss of 63 dead and a number of prisoners, as well as a large quantity of war materials.

The Government, however, has decreed the immediate mobilisation of men of the 1936 class now on leave and the men of the 1934 class in reserve in Catalonia and the eastern seaboard provinces.

A number of persons, believed to be foreigners, have been arrested in Madrid on the charge of spreading false reports to the effect that the garrison at Valencia had revolted.

Meanwhile, the insurgents are said to be massing thousands of troops for a big attack on San Sebastian.

From Rabat, Morocco, comes the report that fourteen aeroplanes of the same type as the Italian plane which crashed in Algeria yesterday, have landed at Melilla, which is one of the insurgent army's bases.

Gibraltar reports that a Spanish Government flying boat, which had been bombing Algeciras during the morning, was forced to seek a landing in a disabled condition as a result of hits by rebel gunfire. The plane finally landed in British waters, after having narrowly missed the British Consulate at Algeciras with some of its bombs, and the crew of three was brought ashore by a harbour launch. —*Reuter.*

Extermination Threat

Madrid, July 31.

The Leftists plan to exterminate the Fascist element in Spain.

A Government victory is predicted here with the immediate suppression of all parties, with the exception of the Left Centre, Republican and other Leftist groups.

Leftist radicals are demanding the confiscation of the possessions of Rightists involved in the revolt, coincident with the growing official confidence of the outcome of the civil strife.

The Government is said to have seized two shipping concerns controlled by the capitalist, Senor Juan March, blamed for financing the revolution.

Claim Successes

The Government claims its aeroplanes bombed and destroyed cement protected trenches wherein rebels were sheltered at Guadarramas.

An official statement says militiamen at Guadarramas will shortly be relieved and enabled to return to their work and to assist in the restoration of normal conditions. However, it is noteworthy that in future they will be organised for emergency work on a permanent basis.—*United Press.*

Palma Bombed

Washington, July 31.

Radio messages from the master of an American liner report that Palma, Majorca, was bombed from the air just after his ship had evacuated 92 foreigners.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

Savage Bombing

Washington, July 31.

The master of an American steamer has sent a radio message to the State Department that 92 foreign residents of Palma were taken aboard prior to a savage bombing attack by loyalist planes.

Details of the bombardment were not reported.

Meanwhile, the Madrid Consulate has reported that numerous Americans and other foreigners are departing from the capital, for Valencia, in special coaches attached to the

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TOKYO WINS NEXT WORLD OLYMPICS

NEWS TELEPHONED TO JAPAN

Berlin, July 31.

Tokyo has been awarded the 1940 Olympic Games.—*Reuter.*

CLOSE VOTE

Berlin, July 31.

The International Olympic Committee awarded the 1940 Olympic Games to Tokyo. Japan got thirty-six votes compared with Helsingfors' twenty-seven.

The selection of the site for the winter Olympics was postponed.

Fifty Japanese delegates, news reporters and visitors to the Olympiad swarmed through the corridors of the Adlon Hotel cheering and back-slapping, and reporters rushed to telephone the news of the award all the way to Tokyo.

TORCH IN GERMANY

Berlin, July 31.

The Olympic torch, which runners are carrying from Athens to Berlin, crossed the German frontier at noon to-day.

It is expected to arrive at noon to-morrow at the Olympic village and its appearance will be the signal for the beginning of the Olympic Games. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

ADDIS ABABA ATTACKED

ETHIOPIANS LOSE 500 KILLED

Addis Ababa, July 31.

Five hundred Ethiopians are said to have been slain in a fierce mass attack on Addis Ababa Wednesday.

The Italian losses are said to have been "insignificant."

This is apparently the third serious attack of the last few days.—*United Press.*

INCREASE IN RHINE GARRISON

BERLIN STATES INTENTIONS

NO CLOSER TO BORDER

Berlin, Aug. 1.

It was officially announced early this morning that increases in the number of German troops in the formerly demilitarised zone of the Rhineland are to be made gradually.

This step follows the lapse, at midnight, of the four month period during which Herr Adolf Hitler, the German Chancellor, promised to refrain from sending further troops into the Rhineland.

While no precipitate steps are planned for this week-end, it is the intention of the German Government to increase the Rhineland garrison forces as occasion demands and as circumstances permit, it is stated.

There is, apparently, no intention of stationing troops any closer to the French frontier than they are at present.—*Reuter.*

ST. LOUIS PACING CHICAGO

BOTH TEAMS HOLD POSITIONS

BROWNS WIN ANOTHER

New York, July 31.

The National League Leaders, Chicago Cubs and St. Louis Cardinals, did not alter their relative positions to-day, both winning. The Cubs remain a stride ahead of the Cards.

Medwick hit a homer for the Cardinals to help raise their eleven hit total to a tally of eight runs and thus beat Brooklyn's eleven hits and six runs. Each had two errors.

Chicago beat the New York Giants three to one, hitting six to four. Each had an error.

Pittsburgh kept pace by beating Boston, ten to five, though they had only one more hit, fourteen, and Berger hit two homers for the Braves.

Philadelphia and Cincinnati split a double-header. The Reds won the first by twelve to two, on fourteen hits to six. Klein hit the Phillies a homer. Camelli hit a homer for the Phillies in the night-cap and helped extract seven tallies from fifteen hits to win by a five-run margin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York Yankees won again, Gehrig hitting his customary homer and Rolfe duplicating his fear. The Yanks scored eleven on sixteen hits against Cleveland's seven on fourteen hits. Trosky hit the Indians a homer.

Boston beat Chicago, seven to three, on thirteen hits to seven, Foxx getting a circuit.

St. Louis continued to win, though the effort comes late in the season, scoring twelve runs against Philadelphia's one. Bottomley hit two homers and his mates got fifteen safeties.

Kuhel homered when Washington fell before Detroit. The Tigers scored an eight to two win with thirteen hits to eight.—Reuter.

AUTHORITY EXCEEDED

Jerusalem, July 31.

The High Court here refuted the collective fine of £5,000 imposed on the citizens of Gaza on the grounds that neighbouring railway and telephone communications had been cut.

These acts of vandalism were blamed upon Arab insurgents.

The Chief Justice emphasised that the High Commissioner, General Sir Arthur Wauchope, had exceeded his authority in enacting collective fines. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

WILL THEY FIGHT?





Marshal Chiang Kai-shek (above) is expected to lead Nanking forces against General Li Chung-jen (right) to put an end to the Kwangsi rebellion. The Nanking ultimatum expired to-day.

Hongkong Likely To Escape Full Force of Storm

TYPHOON PASSES OVER PRATAS SHOAL

According to present indications, Hongkong will escape the worst effects of the typhoon, the Royal Observatory reporting that the disturbance passed directly over the Pratas Shoal at six o'clock this morning, with the prospect, if it continues on its present course, of striking the coast near Swatow.

A statement was issued by the Royal Observatory this morning as follows:

"The typhoon developed in a trough of relatively low pressure which covered the Pacific to the east of the Philippine Islands from July 25. It was located at about 600 miles east-south-east of Manila on July 28 and was moving on a west-north-west track at a speed exceeding 15 miles per hour, reaching the coast at North Luzon on the evening of July 29, crossed Luzon some miles south of Aparri and into the China Sea on the morning of July 30. Its speed at this time had decreased to 10 miles per hour.

PASSES OVER PRATAS

"From this point the track of the typhoon appears to have been westerly and its speed five to six miles per hour. It reached a position about 80 miles south of Pratas Shoal at 6 a.m. yesterday from which time its course has been northwards passing directly over Pratas Shoal at 6 a.m. to-day and causing squalls of typhoon force from east-south-east and a minimum barometer reading of 28.41 degrees.

"If the present course is maintained the typhoon will enter the coast near Swatow."

The weather forecast is as follows: N.W. to S.W. winds, fresh to strong; probably increasing to a gale; cloudy generally; rain later.

HURRICANE SWEEPS FLORIDA

BUT NO LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

Pensacola, July 31.

A 100-mile-an-hour hurricane reared over the sparsely settled northwest of Florida to-day and did widespread destruction.

Several small vessels are missing but so far no fatalities have been reported.

Valparaiso was hardest hit by the storm, but the residents had evacuated the town before the storm struck. —*United Press.*

CANADIANS WELCOME ROOSEVELT

PRESIDENT TALKS WITH TWEEDSMUIR

AT INFORMAL CONFERENCE

(Special To "Telegraph")

Quebec, July 31.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt was given an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here to-day to visit Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, who, in a speech dwelling upon American and Canadian friendship, said he earnestly hoped for a still closer understanding.

He prayed that not by any alliance but by thinking the same thoughts and pursuing the same purpose, the United States and the British Commonwealth might help to restore the shaken liberties of mankind.

President Roosevelt cordially replied, saying that Americans looked forward to King Edward visiting the United States when he was able to re-visit Canada.—*Reuter Special.*

CENTURY OF PEACE

Quebec, July 31.

Speaking partly in French, President Roosevelt, visiting this summer capital of the Dominion to-day, cited the century of peace between the United States and Canada, and their 3,000 miles of undefended frontier as examples to the rest of the armed world.

Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor General of Canada, and Mr. William L. Mackenzie King, the Prime Minister, struck a similar note when welcoming the President.

Referring to the early militant history of Quebec, President Roosevelt went on to say, "Yet there is a nobler monument. For on these fields of battle was born the living miracle we are privileged to see to-day—two great racial stocks, English

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FRANCE MAY OPENLY AID LOYAL ARMY

Italians Suspected Of Arming Rebels

ROME DENIES OFFICIAL ASSISTANCE SENT

There has been an outcry from the Socialist press of Europe, which believes that Italy is arming the Spanish insurgents. France is likely to openly assist the Spanish Government forces if the Italian Fascists are found to be helping their Spanish sympathisers, and the repercussions in Europe might be far-reaching. Rome denies sending official help to the Spanish rebels.

ITALIAN ORIGIN

Oran, July 31.

It is officially stated that the second and third planes which made forced landings on French soil, in Algeria, yesterday were of Italian origin, although their international and obligatory markings had been erased. Meanwhile, Riffs report that two other planes have landed safely at Melilla.

It is learned from Casa Blanca that French troops are guarding the wreckage of the first of the three planes that crashed, while inquiring into the nature and reason of the cargo of machine-guns and munitions she carried.

The crew of five in the second plane forced down in French territory has been detained. The police refuse information, but it is understood the machine's registration number was obscured by paint.

The third plane, which is now said to have landed off Oran, Algeria, is believed to have sunk and its occupants to have been drowned. Search for it has consequently been abandoned.

Moroccan aviators believe two other planes crashed, and that the accidents were due to fliers encountering a gale while carrying heavy loads of munitions.

Excited Capitals

The incident of the planes has excited the capitals of Europe, due to the belief that the machines were en route to aid the Spanish rebels. The Socialist press is vigorously denouncing Signor Benito Mussolini, the Italian Prime Minister, charging him with arming insurgents, in contravention of international law.

Meanwhile, it is believed the definite identification of the planes as Italian will result in the abandonment of the non-interference policy of France and that France will now openly supply arms to the loyalists.

This may possibly result in a further cleavage between Fascist-Nazi countries and the Leftist fronts, of which France is the leader.—*United Press.*

Government Inquiry

Rome, July 31.

The Government is inquiring into the reported crash of Italian planes in Algeria yesterday.

Official circles point out that the Italian Government is not supplying planes or arms to the contending forces in Spain, and if any have been supplied from Italy it has been through a purely private transaction. —*Reuter.*

LOCARNO POWERS TO MEET

GERMANY AND ITALY TO COLLABORATE

Rome, July 31.

The Italian Government will be glad, in principle, to participate in the conference of the five Locarno Treaty signatories on a date to be settled, states the Foreign Minister, Count Ciano, in a message conveyed to the French Ambassador and the British and Belgian *Charges d'Affaires* in Rome to-day.

The Foreign Minister added that the Italian Government thought it would be useful that they should properly prepare for the conference by an exchange of views through the ordinary diplomatic channels in the interests of the lofty aims of the conference.

Count Ciano has informed the German Ambassador of this communication.—*Reuter.*

Berlin, July 31.

Baron von Neurath, the German Foreign Minister, has informed the British and French Ambassadors and the Belgian Minister here that his Government accepts the invitation to the Five Power Conference of Locarno signatories.

Baron von Neurath particularly pointed out that the discussion needed careful diplomatic preparation in every respect, and especially in regard to the programme to be followed.—*Reuter.*

STOP PRESS

Shanghai, Aug. 1.

The Central Press reports here that a force of Kwangsi troops, numbering 1,000, attacked loyalist forces at Fengchuen, Kwangtung, but was repulsed.

The casualties are unknown.—*United Press.*

London, Aug. 1.

Lifeboats and steamers are searching in heavy seas for an air liner carrying eight passengers, pilot and wireless operator missing off the Channel Island. The machine belongs to Jersey Airways and was flying from Guernsey to Jersey. The passengers include five British Holiday-makers.—*Reuter.*

FLIGHT TO AUSTRALIA DELAYED

MASTER OF SEMPILL TURNS BACK

Karachi, July 31.

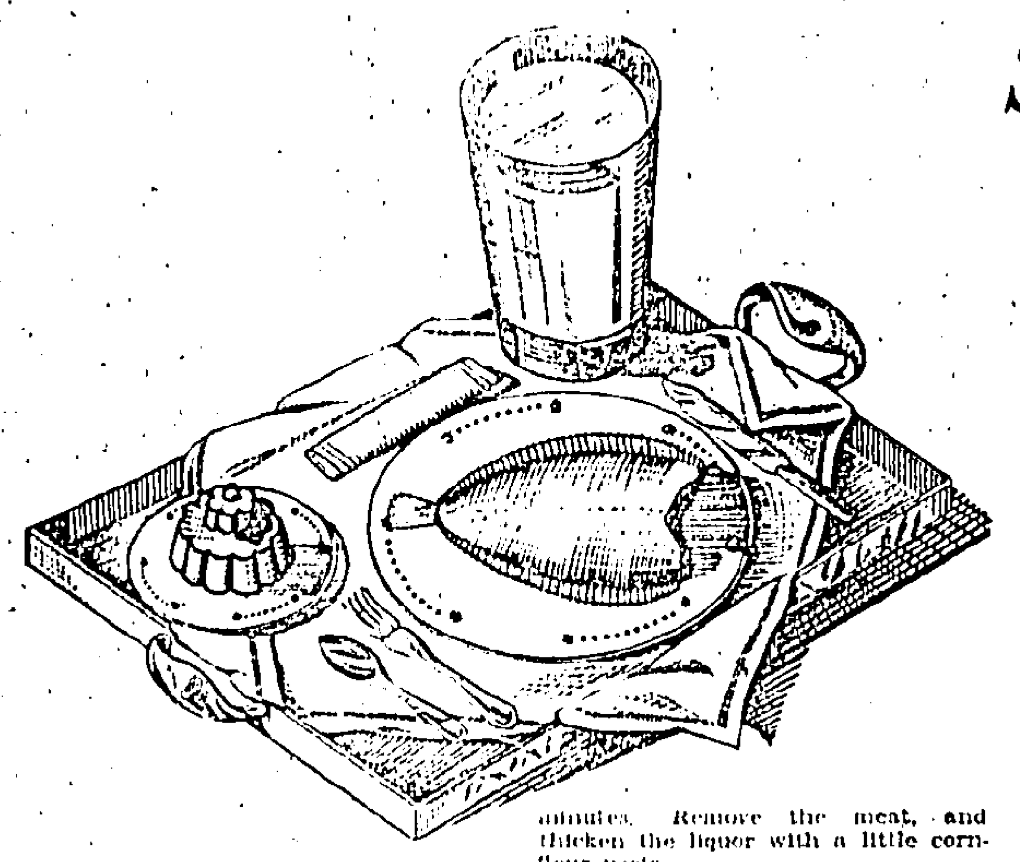
The Master of Sempill, who left Hanworth on Thursday morning to renew his attempt to fly to Australia in a day and a half, has been compelled by bad weather to turn back. He has landed at Jask, where he is awaiting better conditions.

On departing from England, the airman said:—"I am confident we shall have a quiet and uninterrupted flight."—*Reuter Special.*

GET WELL..

Summer Foods & Pick-me-Ups

by Mrs. BARDELL



Grilled sole, jelly-cream and a glass of fresh milk—to tempt a convalescent

SPEAKING from personal experience, both from hospital training and home nursing, the patient who is getting better is much more difficult to please and to look after than one on the "serious" list.

First of all, he is finicky about food, and there is usually a diet under doctor's orders to be adhered to.

To-day I am going to give special building-up dishes, which are light, appetising and varied. They should be served temptingly on a tray, and the old adage of a "little and often," although a greater tax on the time of anyone who is looking after the invalid, will shorten the period of convalescence if put into practice.

Naturally the basis of most invalid cookery is milk, for it is a complete food — easily digested and wholly nutritious.

Fortunately it combines with practically every other food—meat, fish, vegetables and fruit—so that it can be taken into the system in many varying forms.

Please remember to keep all vessels scrupulously clean, especially in hot weather when flies and germs are for ever on the prowl. A refrigerator will keep it fresh and cool, otherwise it is best to scald it if you wish it to keep for any period of time.

First let us deal with the main meal of the day, when fish, white meat or eggs are allowed.

A different one should be arranged each day from this selection.

Creamed Sweetbread

Lamb's sweetbread served this way is tempting, light and appetising.

Wash the sweetbread in slightly salted water, then soak in fresh water for an hour.

Place it into a pan of boiling water, and boil for three minutes, to blanch, then return to the cold water. Cut the meat up small, and simmer it gently in ½ pint milk for an hour. Then, first letting it go off the boil, add the yolk of an egg, seasoning, the juice of half a lemon and a spoonful of cream. Serve on buttered toast.

Fish Soufflé

A strengthening but light dish is fish and milk soufflé.

Ingredients: One cupful of flaked fish, one egg, one dessertspoonful flour, a small knob of butter, one tablespoonful of milk bread crumbs, a little milk, seasoning, a little chopped parsley.

Melt the butter in a saucepan, stir in the flour and seasoning, then add the milk gradually, stirring until thick and smooth. Add the breadcrumbs, fish, parsley and egg yolk.

Remove from the heat, stir in the whisked egg white, pour into a greased soufflé dish, and bake slowly for 20 minutes. Regulo oven mark 2.

Chicken for Invalids

Don't depress the patient with a slice of cold chicken if he cannot eat salad, however nice it looks. Instead, cook it with milk, and it will be extra strengthening.

Mince the cooked chicken, then simmer in ½ pint milk for twenty minutes. Remove the meat, and thicken the liquor with a little cornflour paste.

Add a nut of butter and the yolk of an egg. Season with pepper, salt and a teaspoonful of chopped parsley.

Pour the sauce into a buttered pie dish, add the chicken and blend with the sauce.

Sprinkle with browned breadcrumbs and chopped parsley, then brown in the oven.

Strengthening Liver

For anaemic convalescents, liver is often recommended by doctors. If cooked in milk, it is easily digested, and has double its value. Sheep's or lamb's liver is used for this dish.

Cut the liver into pieces and fry in a little butter with two sliced onions.

Drain away the fat, then place the meat in ½ pint hot milk. Simmer for half an hour, then thicken with a little flour and butter.

Season to taste, then serve with fried bread, sprinkled with parsley.

Light Breakfast

Breakfast, especially if taken in bed, must be light and refreshing. An early morning cup of tea goes without saying, weak, fresh and milky. After that a pleasant cereal, with fruit and milk, provide the perfectly balanced, easily digested, breakfast.

Here's the natural combination for increasing health. Shredded Wheat provides light, digestible nourishment which creates and maintains strength and stamina, and its delicious wheaten flavour blends happily with the fruit juices.

It doesn't matter what fruit is served with Shredded Wheat, or whether it is fresh or stewed.

Strawberries, too, will soon be cheap and plentiful. Just eat your favourite fruits with Shredded Wheat and milk, or cream or custard. There is no better way of getting fit and keeping fit in summertime.

Invalids, especially those with feverish symptoms, are nearly always thirsty, and a mid-morning drink will do much to soothe and nourish as well as assuage the thirst.



As a change from the usual glass of milk, an iced milk soup made with vegetables and milk is not only a pleasant change, but also fulfils the important rule of including plenty of vegetables in the convalescent's diet.

Iced Milk Soup

Simmer some vegetables, carrots, turnips or potatoes, in a pint of water until tender.

Add a pint of milk and simmer for half an hour. Pass through a sieve, then thicken with a little flour and butter.

Allow to cool, then stand in a refrigerator or pack round with ice. Leave for two hours. Serve with a little whipped cream.

Stimulating Thirst-Quencher

For those who are recommended a more stimulating beverage, here is an old-fashioned pick-me-up.

Ingredients: 1 pint milk, 3 tablespoonfuls cream, 2 oz. loaf sugar, one tablespoonful of rum or brandy, a little grated nutmeg or a pinch of cinnamon.

Dissolve the sugar in the milk, then bring to the boil and strain. Add the rum or brandy and the whipped cream, with a sprinkling of grated nutmeg or a pinch of cinnamon on the top.

If a cold drink is required, stand the drink on ice, but do not add the cream until just before serving, or it may get frozen.



Egg Flip

Fluid foods which do not require the effort of eating are the nurse's great stand-by when the patient is fractious, but I have seldom known egg flip, if made this way, to be refused.

Whisk a fresh egg, add a pinch of salt, and a teaspoonful of caster sugar, add a cupful of milk, then again whisk. Pour into a tumbler and grate a little nutmeg on the top. Serve hot or iced.

These drinks, I can hear you say, are all very well, but the time they take to prepare when there is only one pair of hands to do everything!

That is why, doubtless, no household is quite complete without its tin of Ovaltine, for not only is Ovaltine pleasing to drink, but it is completely digestible and nourishing.

It is made, as you know, from the creamiest of milk, combined with new-laid eggs and malt, and can be taken hot or cold.

As a nightcap for light sleepers, it has immensely soothing qualities.

Jelly Cream

Milk jellies are much more nourishing than those made with water, and what child doesn't love a jelly? Especially as jellies are now being sold which are intended to be made with milk. These are fruit flavoured and are most nourishing.

Family Doctor discusses

SWIMMING

AS we use our feet less and less for walking so our powers in other ways are developed. Cars carry us to the beach, but once we are in the water our energy compensates for our previous inertia.

To-day there is a tremendous advance in the physical development of men and women, and swimming has played a large part in improving the health of the nation.

THE earlier the art of swimming is acquired, the better the result on bodily health. But even middle-aged people who have suddenly decided to take it up have improved rapidly in health. Much of their surplus fat disappeared, the liver is no longer sluggish, and the whole body functions with ease.

Like all other sports, swimming should not be indulged in at any odd moment. Rushing straight from the burning sand, into the sea will often bring on a distressing type of headache which hangs about for days and is difficult to cure.

OLDER people should not run in and out of the water at all odd moments of the day, allowing the sun to dry them off, before plunging in again. Hardy youngsters can do this to their hearts' content, but for those whose ways of life are more set, two good swims per day is enough.

A bathe before breakfast is worth six after lunch. And with regard to lunch, it is wise not to bathe for at least two hours after any hearty meal.

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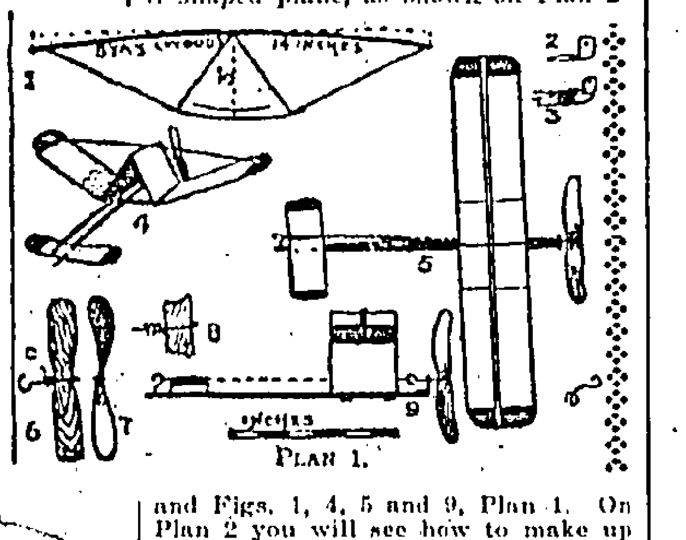
Boys & Girls

Make This New MODEL 'PLANE

THIS is a new kind of model aeroplane, which has "wings" or planes in the form of a W.

Get, first of all, some very light wood, in strips; then cut out the "backbone," or main rod, which should be 10 inches long, ¼ in. wide (but tapered), and ⅛ in. thick (see Fig. 5).

For the planes get some artists' Bristol board, and make up the W-shaped plane, as shown on Plan 2

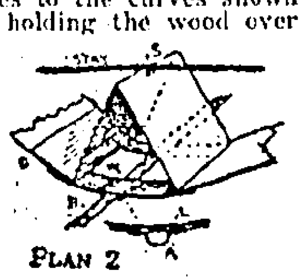


PLAN 1.

and Figs. 1, 4, 5 and 9, Plan 1. On Plan 2 you will see how to make up the "W" in three pieces: G shows where you should glue the parts together. B is the "backbone," and the whole plane is to slide along on this, as depicted. So that it may move freely, small brackets of aluminium (A) must be lashed (see L) to the thin wood supports (W) with thread. All lashings should be smeared with strong adhesive. The 14in. top stay should be made of light, *tough* wood, and must be *very* light; *it must not be more than one-tenth of an inch square. Sew* it to the planes (as shown at S), then soak the thread in glue.

The elevator (see 4 and 5) can be made of very thin wood—as thin as a match-box. The main plane is 14 in. span, and 2¼ in. wide; elevator is 4 in. by 1¾ in.

Get a piece of tough, light wood, 5 in. long, ½ in. wide and 1-16 in. thick, then cut it as shown in Fig. 6. Round the exact centre bring a length of wire (about the thickness of a hairpin), then coil it up tightly, with pliers, at C—turning the odd end inwards, as shown in Fig. 8. You now have the propeller *flat*; to curve it, first soak the wood in water, then bend the blades to the curves shown on Fig. 7 by holding the wood over a gas jet, turned very low.



PLAN 2

The bearing for the propeller should be made of sheet aluminium, as shown on Figs. 2 and 3, and must be lashed to the backbone—soak the lashing with liquid glue. The rubber-hook is shown on Fig. 10.

This little model flies best if driven by three 1-10th in. rubber bands (tied with water-cord), and three thread bands. It also flies best with the propeller at the rear; elevator first, as shown on Fig. 4.

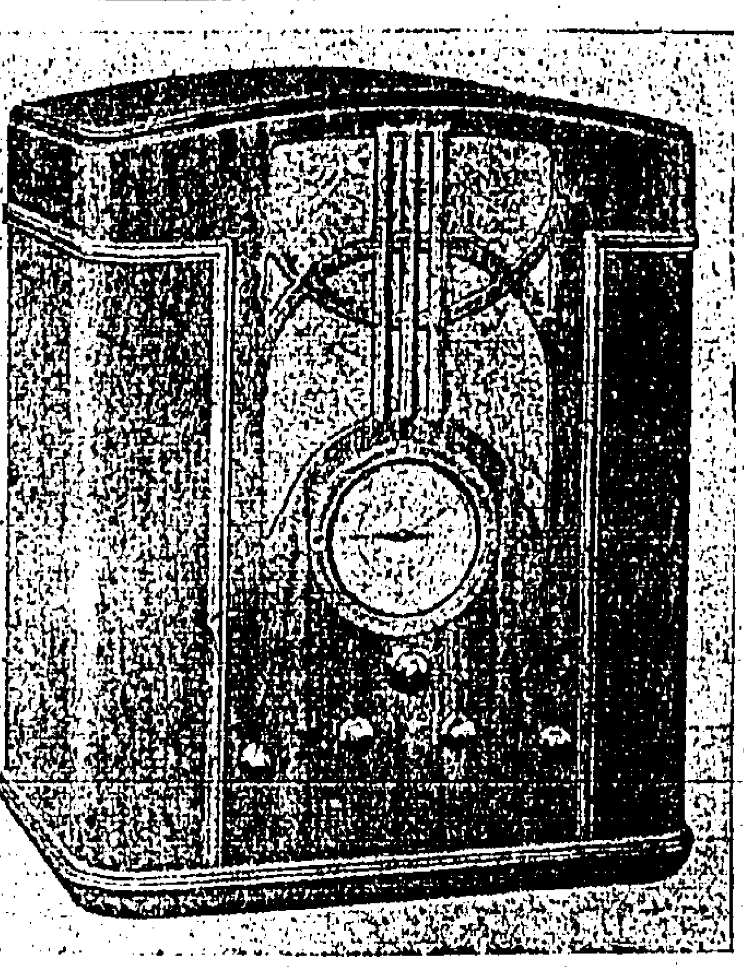
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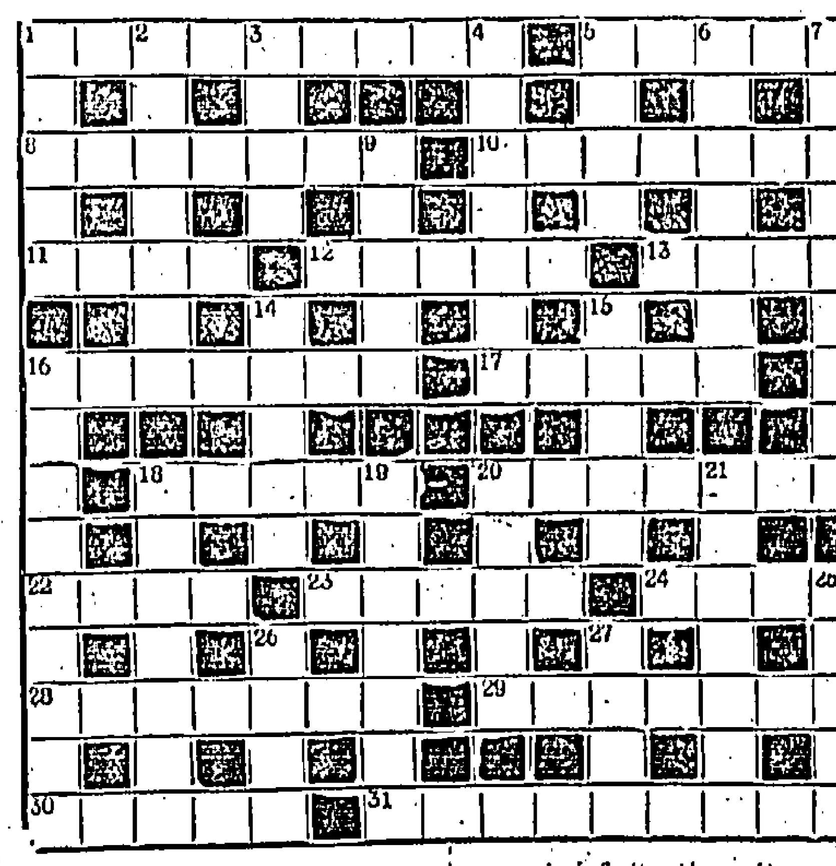
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ACROSS

1 Took cover in the coarse grass and got back all right.
5 Bowl.
8 Mockery is enough to make a French girl cry.
10 Pillars well known in Fleet-street.
11 The Oriental can produce a better one: at any rate, so far as psychologists can tell (hidden).
12 Unkind use to which to put money.
13 I dearly like the start.
16 Architects, as I do, consider they are needed for mortar.
17 She may prove to be a good comrade, even when beheaded.
18 Cottage, in poor repair I'm afraid.
20 Isaac preferred Rebekah.
22 Hidden in Clue 11.
23 This little navigator is fortunate in having shores where he wants them.
24 Hidden in Clue 11.
28 The limb (anag.).
29 What a fooballer may do with a river.
30 Quite correct for a sound craftsman.
31 Though this plant requires very little soil, it will give a fourteen pound yield.

DOWN

1 B. C. typo.
2 May describe a circle.
3 Wrong in the fitter's shop.
4 The fine lady who always winds up with a fine game.
5 These bearings cannot be taken from an Admiralty chart.
6 Ay! at last the people return for an indefinite time (two words, 4, 3).
7 Doubtless felt by many a man when he "sat in gaol." (anag.).
9 Nautical measures?
14 Hand in this to be on really intimate terms.
15 Only one letter different from 14, but oh! what a world of difference.
16 This poet, though certainly not in the first rank, does show taste.
18 Where the fleas go in Kent.
19 Cause ferment, but not without leave.
20 Was very angry indeed.
21 Showing how the bivalve began to climb.
25 A low way to proceed for a man.
26 Hidden in Clue 11.
27 Very particular for a Continental town, I must say.

Yesterday's Solution.

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SMILES OF MAN WHO WANTED TO HANG

THANKED JUDGE FOR DEATH SENTENCE

WITH a smile on his face a man, who persisted in his plea of guilty, thanked Mr. Justice Hilbery, at Maidstone Assizes, for sentencing him to death.

George Arthur Bryant, 38, of Langton-road, Cheriton, labourer, employed at Shorncliffe Camp, is now in the condemned cell awaiting the fate he craved.

"I want to take my punishment," Bryant told the judge, and he sat in the dock with his hands in his pockets as an outline was given of the charge against him of murdering

Ellen Margaret Mary Whiting, 36, wife of William Whiting, labourer in the service of Folkestone Corporation, of Gladstone-road, Folkestone.

It was related that Whiting and his wife, who had three children, William, 15, Violet, 13, and George, 10, had lived unhappily at Dover-road, Folkestone.

Unpleasantness arose because of Mrs. Whiting's association with Bryant, who was also married, and in October last they separated.

Afterwards Whiting saw Bryant and asked him if he knew where his wife was, and why he got a van to steal his home and run away.

Bryant replied, "I don't know."

Some weeks later Bryant and Mrs. Whiting, who was represented as his wife, and two of her children, Violet and George, occupied three rooms in a house in London-road, Dover.

Subsequently Bryant left the house. Mrs. Whiting transferred her lodging. She then met her husband, and their relationship seemed to improve.

On the day of the tragedy Bryant called at a local inn, and next turned up at an attic occupied by Mrs. Whiting and her two children.

He gave the children a shilling to go to the pictures.

They went off, leaving their mother lying fully dressed on the bed, with Bryant sitting by her side.

Some time afterwards Bryant walked into Folkestone Police-station, and stated: "I wish to give myself up for causing the death of Mrs. E. Whiting at Dover this afternoon."

Cautioned immediately, Bryant, who was somewhat excited, but perfectly sober, continued:

I am guilty. I hit her over the head with a bottle and afterwards strangled her. I sent the children to the pictures so as they would be out of the way.

Mrs. Whiting's body was found on the bed in the attic with two pillows covering her face.

STOCKING ROUND NECK

One of her stockings was tied tightly round her neck.

She had a wound on the head indicating that she received a blow which rendered her unconscious before she was strangled.

When Bryant was further charged he remarked:—

"She was one of the whitest women in the world. . . . When you see Whiting tell him he had a narrow escape."

On the completion of the case for the prosecution the judge inquired if Bryant wished to give evidence.

"No," he replied.

"Do you wish to make a statement to the jury?" asked his lordship, and Bryant answered, "None whatsoever. I don't wish to say anything at all."

Immediately the jury returned their verdict of "Guilty" Bryant leapt eagerly to his feet.

He smiled while the dread sentence was being pronounced, and then disappeared quietly from the dock.

DARKEST NEBRASKA

Seward, Nebr. July 20.

Grasshoppers almost obscured the sun here one day recently. They began gathering early and at noon the sky was black with them.—*United Press.*

Commons Hears A Tragic Story

London, July 21.

An ex-Minister told the House of Commons on Tuesday, when it was discussing the Government's Midwives Bill to make motherhood safer, that a daughter-in-law had died in childbirth that morning.

It was, grey, solid, broad-shouldered, 64 year-old William Lunn, former miner, Under-Secretary for the Dominions in the last Socialist Government, whose sad story brought flooding on M.P.'s the human tragedy behind the Bill.

His voice had faltered while, in general terms, he had made the Socialist reply to the debate.

M.P.'s not knowing the pain which possessed his mind, had looked at him once or twice curiously.

But for all the pathos of his words, he spoke simply, undramatically, firmly, when he told of his grief.

"This morning I was rung up on the telephone. I expected news of a happy event. Instead I heard that the young wife of my youngest son had died in childbirth, tragically and suddenly. He had a good home and she had the advantage of a doctor and nurse. If I am the loser of a healthy and lovely daughter, I want to see that every possible provision is made to prevent young mothers from going so easily as so many thousands do." The House murmured in sympathy.

Mr. V. Kingsley Griffith (Lib. Middlesbrough West) said M.P.'s throughout the House would wish to pay tribute to the way in which he had sub-ordinated his private feelings to a sense of public duty.

Mr. Lunn's daughter-in-law was Mrs. Fred Lunn, aged 28, of Hipperholme, nr. Halifax.

Mr. Fred Lunn said, "There is little to say of my own tragedy. We were very happy looking forward to our first baby. My wife was taken ill on Saturday night and had to be removed to Hospital. She died at 1 a.m. to-day and the baby died later."

Centenary Of Famed Monument

Paris, July 22.

The Arc de Triomphe, Napoleon's famous triumphal monument, squatting massively on the rise at one end of the Champs Elysees, celebrated its hundredth birthday to-day.

It was in commemoration of Austerlitz and other victories of his "Grand Army" that Napoleon gave the order on February 12th, 1806 for this arch to be erected. However, the construction of the Arch was not to be completed as easily as its building had been decreed, and the man whose glory it proclaims was never to see it finished.

The corner stone was laid on August 15th, 1806 and work was begun under the orders of the architect Chalgrin, but he died in 1811 when the arch was still only 15 feet high. Nevertheless, work was continued on Chalgrin's plans until the fateful year of Waterloo in 1814, when work ceased altogether because of Napoleon's banishment to the Isle of Elba. During the early years of the Restoration nothing was done and even the scaffolding was taken down and destroyed.

In October 1823, the new King, Louis XVIII gave orders for the Arch to be finished, but work did not progress very rapidly and it was not until July 29th, 1836, under the reign of Louis-Philippe that the inauguration took place.

The Arc de Triomphe has always been unkind to royalty. It saw the Emperor who conceived it, and the King who inaugurated it both die in exile and it was only on November 11th, 1921, when it became the last resting place of an Unknown Republican Soldier that the royal arch acquired a living meaning in the minds of Frenchmen.

For the past ten years at six p.m. the Arc de Triomphe has been the scene of a nightly ceremony, that of re-kinding the flame which burns over the grave of the Unknown Warrior and on every July 4th. the honour of relighting this flame is given to the American Legion.

The cost of the Arc de Triumph was 45,255,000 gold francs; but this large sum is not surprising for the statues and bas-reliefs which decorate the monument are by some of the most famous of French sculptors. The most well-known of these are "Fame" by Prudier, "The Marseillaise" by Rude, "Triumph" by Cortot and "Resistance" and "Peace" by Etex.—*United Press.*

CHINA PAVED WAY FOR DARWIN THEORY

Berkeley, Calif., July 20.

CHINA'S influence on European thought of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries paved the way for the ultimate development of the Darwinian theory of the evolution of man.

This is the interesting theory advanced by A. H. Rowbotham, assistant professor of French at the University of California, in an article entitled "China and the Age of Enlightenment in Europe."

The essay appeared in the Chinese Social and Political Review for July, 1935, and has since been reprinted.

According to the author, it was the contact with a strange culture in the Far East which broke the bonds of European consciousness and led to the destruction of the theory of the Great Flood.

The explorations of the Portuguese in the sixteenth century discovered China for the West and produced a flood of literature concerning the beauty and worth of the Chinese civilization.

In this literature were contained frequent attempts to determine the beginnings of the Chinese history. The most conservative of these dates failed to harmonize with the date set for the Flood which had been the only generally accepted date in Christian chronology.

The result was the destruction of the Flood theory and a revision of the ideas concerning the age of the world and its chronology.

Out of this grew the idea of the slow growth of society through a vast period of time which the author calls "the greatest step in the development of man's knowledge of his environment and history.—*United Press.*

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CINEMA NOTES

Alive with romance, breathless with thrills, hilarious with comedy and tingling with suspense, "Half Angel", Darry F. Zanuck Twentieth Century production, is showing today at the King's Theatre, with Frances Dee, Brian Donlevy and Charles Butterworth in the featured roles. It is seldom that all the ingredients of great entertainment are so skilfully blended as they have been by Sidney Lanfield, director of "Half Angel". Hilarious situations and sparking dialogue vie with exciting episodes, unusual romance and breath-taking adventures. The story of "Half Angel" is concerned with a beautiful young girl, an irrepressible reporter, and his comical "stooge". Miss Dee, the girl, through a series of sinister circumstances is twice involved in poison murders. She is acquitted the first time when the jury returns an unexpected verdict of not guilty. But the second time it appears almost a foregone conclusion that she will be convicted. Brian Donlevy, the reporter, is attracted to the girl from the first. He believes in her and takes desperate risks to prove her innocence. He devises a clever ruse to trap the real criminal but it seems an almost impossible task. Among the suspects are the members of the household of Helen Westley, who befriends Miss Dee after her first trial. Living in the house is a weird assortment of ex-criminals, any of whom might have committed the crime. To add to the complications, three maniacs escape from a nearby asylum. Miss Dee's beauty, Donlevy's daring and Charles Butterworth's comedy combine to make "Half Angel" an outstanding hit. Also prominent in the cast are Henry Stephenson and Sara Haden. Bess Meredyth and Gene Fowler, two of Hollywood's greatest writers authored the screen play of "Half Angel".

"Mystery Film at Star"

In "The Mystery of The Wax Museum," the Warner Bros. production which will be shown at the Star Theatre to-day, the producers feel confident that they have achieved something far off the beaten paths of motion picture entertainment. It is calculated to startle the most sophisticated theatregoer, and stir the most jaded palate. Even among chronicles of crime and mystery this picture strikes a new and radically different note. Lovers of the unusual will find an eerie fascination in watching a gentle gifted but crippled Russian sculptor struggling to create a group of wax statues that will startle the world when his little wax museum opens its doors to the public. Then a series of strange, inexplicable crimes throws the metropolis into an uproar, the police and the press take up the hue-and-cry and a young newspaper woman finds herself called upon to solve, single-handed, one of the most baffling mysteries of modern times. A brilliant cast contrives to make every character in "The Mystery of The Wax Museum" live with startling vividness. Lionel Atwill, one of the foremost stars of the metropolitan stage, plays the sculptor Igor, Glenda Farrell, whose brilliant work in "Life Begins" stamped her as a comedienne of no ordinary ability, is the newspaper reporter who solves the mystery, Frank McHugh, well known for his comedy characterizations in numerous Warner-First National pictures such as "The Crowd Roars," "Parachute," "Union Depot," "Blessed Event," "High Pressure" and "Life Begins," is the driving newspaper editor. Other exceptional artists who contribute to the success of the thriller are Fay Wray, Edwin Maxwell, Arthur Edmund Carewe, Matthew Betz, Holmes Herbert, Thomas E. Jackson, DeWitt Jennings, Gavin Gordon and Allen Vincent.

"The Singing Kid"

"It's a good thing that we had fire extinguishers handy," said Dance Director Bobby Connolly, after filming a scene on the First National musical, "The Singing Kid," which will be screened at the re-opening of the Queen's Theatre to-day. Though no conflagration actually started, there seemed a constant fire menace. Red-hot rhythm was the reason. More than 200 finger-snapping and hip-swinging young Negro girls stepped out in the flaming tempo of a struttin', truckin' step in a dance "interview" by Connolly for the picture. Each was given an individual hoofing tryout to the piano time of "Save Me, Sister," new and unusual song written for the musical by E. Y. Harburg and Harold Arlen. From the 200, Connolly picked 50 girls, many of whom are veterans of "Blackbirds," the "Cotton Club Revue" or other famous coloured shows of New York's Harlem. From an equal number of trained Negro boy hoofers, Connolly chose 50 dancers as partners for the girls. The 100 Negro boys and girls selected are used in one of the elaborate production numbers. They dance in the Cab Calloway Harlem Night Club sequence and form the audience in a "tabernacle scene," dancing up the golden stairs in the spectacular finale of the song presentation. "The Singing Kid" is a powerful human interest drama which swings intermittently between hilarious comedy and heart wrenching pathos. The cast includes Al Jolson, Sybil Jason, Beverly Roberts, Edward Everett Horton, Lyle Talbot, Allen Jenkins and Claire Dodd. The picture was directed by William Keighley from the screen play by Warren Duff and Patsy Flick, based on the story by Robert Lord.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,

O. EAGER,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1936.

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Hongkong, 1st August, 1936.

BANK HOLIDAY.

In accordance with Government Ordinance, The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on Monday, the 3rd August, 1936. (The First Monday in August).

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The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Monday, 10th August to Tuesday, 18th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

F. H. CRAPNELL,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1936.

RADIO BROADCAST

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8.20 p.m. **The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.**
Marche Militaire (Schubert); Villanelle (With the Swallow) (arr. Winterbottom); Ruy Blas Overture (Mendelssohn); Tancredi Overture (Rossini); Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1 (Elgar); Belphegor (Brepsant).

8.45 p.m. **A Recital by Elena Gerhardt (Mezzo-Soprano).**
1. In Spring (Schubert); 2. Feldeinsamkeit (Brahms); 3. Nachtigall; Standchen (Brahms).

9 p.m. *Reuter* Press Bulletins.

9.10 p.m. **The London Palladium Orchestra.**
The Sacred Hour (Ketelbey); Peter Pan—Selection (John Crook); Childhood Memories (arr. Somers).

9.30 p.m. Tito Schipa (Tenor).

Maurice Marechal ('Cello).
1. Songs—The One is as fair as the other ("Rigoletto") (Verdi); Fond Dream of Love ("Don Pasquale") (Donizetti); 2. 'Cello Solo—Elegie (Gabriel Faure); 3. Songs—O Del Mio Amato Ben (Donaudy); Plaisir d'Amour (Martini); 4. 'Cello Solos—Serenade Espagnole (Glazounow); Apres un Reve (Casals).

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METHODIST CHURCH

Eighth Sunday After Trinity

LIST OF SERVICES

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at the English Methodist Church, Queen's Road, East, Wanchai, Hongkong.

8th Sunday after Trinity, August 2
Morning Order of Service by Rev. Erris Tribbeck, 10.15 at English Methodist Church, opposite R.N. Hospital.
Hymns No. 16 (Austria), 638 (St. Augustine), 578 (Cambridge), 618 (Knecht), 676 (St. George).
Lessons: Jeremiah 33, 14-26; St. Matthew 17, 14-27.
Evening Order of Service by Rev. Erris Tribbeck, at 7.15, English Methodist Church, opposite R.N. Hospital.
Hymns No. 2 (Old 100th); 550 (Abridge); 612 (Sandon); 630 (Alstone).

Notices for the Week
Badminton Club meets Monday and Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

UNION CHURCH

Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow To Preach To-morrow

MINISTER ON HOLIDAY

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Morning Service 10.30 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Preacher at both services: Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.
The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the close of the Morning Service.
The Social Hour after the Evening Service will be held in the Church Hall.
The S.A.C.A. meets in the Church Hall on Tuesday evening at 7.30 p.m.
The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday at 10.30 a.m.
The Minister will be on holiday this month, during which time all communications on church matters should be addressed to Mr. E. Himsworth 23 Peak Mansions.
The preachers during the month will be: August 9, Rev. E. C. H. Tribeck; August 16 and 23, Rev. Frank Short; August 30, Rev. J. Foster:

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong

SUNDAY'S SERVICE

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all churches of Christ Scientist, tomorrow, August 2, will be "LOVE".

The Golden Text will be: "He that loveth not knoweth not God: for God is Love." (1. John 4:8).

Among others, the following citations from the Bible will be read "In this was manifested the love of God towards us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him. Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved. He that hath received his testimony hath set to his Seal that God is true. For he whom God hath sent speaketh the words of God: For God giveth not the Spirit by measure unto him. The Father loveth the Son and hath given all things into his hand." (1. John 4:9,10—John 3: 16, 17, 33-35.)

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

Father-Mother is the name for Deity, which indicates His tender relationship to His spiritual creation. Jesus acknowledged no ties of the flesh. He said: "Call no man your father upon the earth: for one is your Father which is in heaven." His mission was to reveal the Science of celestial being, to prove what God is and what He does for man. Jesus established what he said by demonstration, thus making his acts of higher importance than his works. Jesus' teaching and practice of Truth involved such a sacrifice as makes us admit its Principle to be Love. This was the precious import of our Master's sinless career and of his demonstration of power over death. He proved by his deeds that Christian Science destroys sickness, sin and death. Our Master taught no mere theory doctrine or belief. It was the divine Principle of all real being which he taught and practised. His proof of Christianity was no form or system of religion and worship, but Christian Science, working out the harmony of Life and Love. (332 : 4-5— 31 : 4-6—26.16—20 : 21-32).

Announcements

Branches of the Mother Church The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass).
Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram station.
Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m.
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Testimony Meeting Wednesday 6 p.m.
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GENERAL HOLIDAY

On Monday, the 3rd August, the General Post Office, Kowloon Central Post Office and Sheungwan Branch Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. The other Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes, one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 10 a.m.

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Java and Manila	Tjikembang	August 1.
Japan	Kitano Maru	August 2.
Straits and Manila	Menestheus	August 2.
Shanghai, Foochow and Amoy	Taiyuan	August 2.
Shanghai and Amoy	Tjibadak	August 2.
Haiphong	Canton	August 3.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London date, 13th July)	Pei Ping	August 3.
Straits	Bangalore	August 4
Manila	Gneisenau	August 4.
Air Mail by Imperial Airways direct Service"—London date 25th July.	R.M.A. Dorado	August 4.
Calcutta, Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Papers only) London, 2nd July	Sirdhana	August 4.
Java	Tjisadane	August 4.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	August 5.
Calcutta and Straits	Islami	August 5
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Straits	Roggeveen	August 6.
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru	August 6.
Shanghai	Tyndareus	August 6.
Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer	August 7.
Japan and Shanghai	Naldera	August 7.
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For	Per	Date and Time.
Saturday.		
Letters, for "K.L.M. Service"—Amsterdam, 13th August.	Africa Maru	Sat., Aug. 1,
K.P.O. Reg., Aug. 1, 12.30 p.m. Letters, Aug. 1, 1 p.m.	G.P.O. Reg., Aug. 1, 1 p.m. Letters, Aug. 1, 1.30 p.m.	
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa.	Africa Maru	Sat., Aug. 1, 2.30 p.m.
Bangkok	Michael Jebsen	Sat., Aug. 1, 3.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia, and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island 14th Aug.)	Kitano Maru Reg., Letters,	Sat., Aug. 1. Aug. 1, 4.15 p.m. Aug. 1, 5 p.m.
*Manila, Rabaul, *Australia and *New Zealand via Brisbane —Due Brisbane, 19th August.	Nellore Parcels, Reg. Letters,	Sat., Aug. 1, August 1, 3 p.m. August 1, 4.15 p.m. August 1, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Helikon	Sat., Aug. 1, 5 p.m.
Sunday.		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hongkong Maru	Sun., Aug. 2, 9 a.m.
Monday.		
Shanghai	Menestheus	Mon., Aug. 3, 9 a.m.
Amoy	Shantung	Mon., Aug. 3, 9 a.m.
Tuesday.		
Manila, Makasser and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	Tues., Aug. 4, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and *Europe via Siberia	Gneisenau	Tues., Aug. 4, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Straits and Calcutta	Chaksang	Wed., August 5.
Parcels August 5, 9 a.m.	Letters	August 5, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Fukuiken Maru	Wed., Aug. 5, 10.30 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kweiyang	Wed., Aug. 5, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Wed., Aug. 5, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Aug. 5, 4.30 p.m.
Thursday.		
Shanghai, *Japan and *Europe via Siberia.	Rajputana	Thurs., Aug. 6, 10.30 a.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SIXTH ANNUAL

Amateur Photographic Competition

June—August, 1936.

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of rules and Entry Form are printed below.

READ THE RULES CAREFULLY.

The following Rules will govern the Competition:—

1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
2.—Pictures submitted in Sepia tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
3.—The Prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published daily during the period of the Competition.
4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* is reserved.
5.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
6.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
7.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
8.—Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
9.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
10.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
11.—No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
12.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
13.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.

USE THIS FORM AND LIGHTLY PASTE IT ON THE BACK OF EACH ENTRY.

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Edith Baines	17.60

Protection of Children

The Hongkong Society for the Protection of Children issues the following list of subscriptions received during July:

Anonymous	$ 50
Anonymous "J. P. D."	20
Mr. Fok Cheung	5
Mr. Wong Ping-shun	5
Messrs. Wo Kee & Co.	5
Mr. Lam Yin-chee	1
Mr. Wong Che	1
Mr. Kwok Chit-cheung	1
Mr. Kwan Man-kee	1
Collection Tin (per Capt. 'M')	20.71
Collection Tin Theosophical Society	13
Proceeds of Accountants' Ball (already ack.)	209.80
Kowloon Commercial Employees Savings Society (already acknowledged)	50
In memory of Capt. George Madden (already ack.)	5
In memory of Mr. Longbottom (already ack.)	2
Donations already acknowledged through the *South China Morning Post*	11
	$400.51

Further donations will be gladly accepted by the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. A. McKellar, C.A., c/o Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., P & O Building.

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The Director of Ambulance has the honour to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations:

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Mr. Ng Yuk-chuen (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau)	20
Mr. Shum Kwong-on (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau)	10
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Mr. Lam Hing-chi (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau)	5
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Mr. Sun Joy-fook (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau)	2
Mr. Leung Gon-sun (per Tang Pak-kau)	2
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m/s. France	4.97½
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CHINESE ART EXHIBITIONS

FIRST OF SERIES NEXT WEEK

The Hongkong Working Artists' Guild, which was founded in February last by Mrs. A. N. Macfadyen and Mr. Luis Chan, announces that for the month of August they are holding a series of exhibitions on the first floor of the Gloucester Building, the first of which will be the exhibition of the Chinese Fine Arts Club, commencing on Monday, August 3, for one week. No entrance fee will be charged, and catalogues will be supplied free.

Further details regarding subsequent Exhibitions will be announced in due course.

MASS MURDER PLOT

Detroit, July 31.

The State's investigator of the Black Legion's ramifications announces that Fred Guthrie, the Legion's printer, has revealed a mass murder plot against Catholics, Communists, Jews and Negroes by placing typhoid germs in milk and cheese.—*United Press.*

SPECIAL TAX

TO BE IMPOSED ON HEAVY OIL

It is notified for general information that Government has recently had under consideration the imposition of a special tax on vehicles equipped with engines using heavy oil or Diesel oil as fuel, and that such taxation will probably be on the lines of that in force in the Straits Settlements.

It is not Government's intention to impose the extra taxation in the immediate future, but notification of the intended policy is given in order that agents and purchasers of vehicles of this type may be aware of the position.



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DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

JUDGE NOT THY NEIGHBOUR UNTIL THOU ART IN HIS SITUATION.—*Hillel.*

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It is notified that the name of the Luen Fat Cinema Co., Ltd., has been struck off the register of companies.

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The R. E. O. C. A. open air whist drive and tombola will be held on the Square, Wellington Barracks, on Monday, commencing at 8.30 p.m.

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His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council, vice Sir William Shenton, resigned.

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Owing to the prevailing uncertainty of the weather, the ball firing due to have taken place from Stonecutters Island on July 30, will now take place on Thursday, August 6.

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The N.D.L. s.s. Gneisenau will arrive here on August 4 at 6 a.m. She will berth alongside Kowloon Wharf and will leave here for Shanghai and Japan on the same day at 6 p.m.

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His Excellency the Governor has appointed provisionally, and subject to His Majesty's pleasure, Mr. Arthur William Hughes to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council, vice Mr. William Henry Bell, resigned.

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His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of the Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, F.R.I.B.A., F.S.I., to be temporarily an Official Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils, during the absence on leave of the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, M. Inst. C.E., M. I. Mech E.

One case of Typhoid was reported to the local Health authorities on Thursday.

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Tenders are being invited for the construction of a reinforced concrete and brickwork filter house and contingent works at Stanley.

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His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. F. A. Hopkins to act as Superintendent of Prisons during the absence on leave of Mr. J. W. Franks, O.B.E.

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It is notified that Dr. J. P. Fehily, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., (N.U.I.), F.A.C.S., D.P.H. (Belf.), resumed duty as Port Health Officer and Inspector of Emigrants on July 28.

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The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Ronald Oswald Metcalfe, missionary, of Kweiting, Kweichow, and Miss Kathleen Margaret Christie, missionary, of Anshun, Kweichow.

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His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council for a period of five years, vice Sir William Shenton, resigned.

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His Majesty the King has been pleased to approve the re-appointment of the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Kt., K.C., LL.D., to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council for a further period of five years.

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His Excellency the Governor has approved the following promotions in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps:—Lance Sergeant S. V. Gittins to be Second Lieutenant; Lance Sergeant E. J. M. Churn to be Second Lieutenant.

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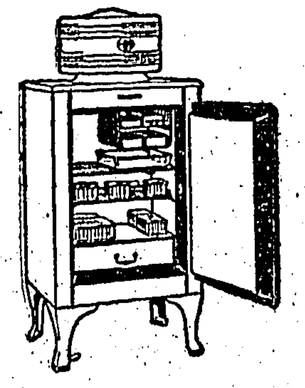
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£489,335 Claim Against a British Peer and His Three Co-Directors

GRAIN RACE AMONG ICEBERGS

CUTTING 1,000 MILES OFF AN EMPIRE ROUTE

FIFTEEN ships now in European ports are preparing for one of the most dangerous voyages of modern times.

About July 25 they will start, many of them from ports on the east coast of Britain, on a grain race to Hudson Bay.

By using the Port Churchill route more than 1,000 miles can be cut off the route from Saskatchewan to Britain. Every bushel of grain can be brought to Europe for 2½d. less than by the old route.

The difficulty was the north-west sea passage—the same passage that Cabot and Henry Hudson tried to open up more than 400 years ago.

The wild Hudson Strait between Baffin Land and Labrador and Quebec is only open in summer, and even then for only a few weeks.

Icebergs, floating down from the Arctic, constitute a constant peril to seamen. Magnetism is so great that ordinary ships' compasses are useless.

"GO"

A patrol steamer has just been sent up to the Hudson Strait to prepare for the ships that will come from Europe. It is believed to be the most modern and efficient ice-breaker in the world, and its task is to patrol the Strait during the navigation season.

Once the ice-pack has broken up the word "Go" is given. This year the date has been fixed provisionally for August 10.

This year, it is believed, the ice-pack will not close again until October 10. This gives the ships two months, and some are expected to make two voyages to Port Churchill.

Hundreds of thousands of bushels of wheat will be brought to Britain by this newer and cheaper route this year.



Frank McHugh (left), Patricia Ellis, George E. Stone (centre), and Warren Hull (right) in "Freshman Love," showing at the Alhambra Theatre, on Sunday.

GIVING LIFE COLOUR

"LIPSTICK and rouge are as vital to women as food," said Dr. A. M. Dewing, Legislative Committee chairman, in attacking Maryland (U.S.) proposal for a ten per cent. levy on cosmetics.

FASHIONS

MRS. GLORGINA TAYLOR, of Greenway-gardens, Chippenham, ninety years old, keeps her hair neatly bobbed; likes modern fashions.

'Million-heirs'

New York, July 15.

Sixteen-year-old Junius Pierpont Morgan, grandson of the ruler of the house of Morgan, bankers, sailed before the mast in a windjammer bound for the Azores and Africa. He wants to learn to be an able-seaman.

Roger Wolfe Kahn, son of the dead banker, Otto Kahn, earns his own living by leading a band. He has also become Lieutenant Kahn, of Long Island flying police force.

MR. WEBB AND THE POACHER

London, July 28.

The death of Mr. G. W. Webb, J. P., at the age of 82 at Reading recalls an amusing case which he heard—his last one—ten years ago.

A man was charged with poaching and Mr. Webb, who presided, gave him another chance.

Next morning, Mr. Webb discovered on his front doorsteps two rabbits and a note reading "Best wishes from the poacher."

SHILLING SHARES SOARED TO 33/-

AN action which seeks to make four company directors liable for losses amounting to £489,335 opened recently in the Chancery Division.

Viscount Wimborne, his son, the Hon. Ivor Guest, Mr. Selwyn Davies and Mr. Lionel Maurice Noel, who were directors of Machine-Made Sales, Limited, which went into liquidation in 1931, are sued by Mr. W. H. Cork, the liquidator of Machine-Made Sales, Limited, and three associated companies, Auto-Made Sales, Limited, Direct Automatic Sales, Limited, and Autopax, Limited.

Six K.C.s and nine junior counsel are engaged and the action is expected to last some weeks.

The statement of claim fills 111 foolscap pages and contains about 35,000 words.

Mr. J. M. Tucker, K.C., said the case raised questions of the utmost public importance in connection with the administration of companies and their shares on the market.

SHARE "RIGGING" CONSPIRACY ALLEGED

As against all the defendants other than Lord Wimborne there was a charge that they were, from October, 1928, engaged in a conspiracy to defraud the four companies and enrich themselves at their expense.

A conspiracy was also alleged to raise and maintain the market price of shares in Machine-Made Sales and Auto-Made Sales, in their own interest and in fraud of persons who might be induced to purchase the shares.

This conspiracy, counsel said, was sometimes known as "rigging the market."

A third allegation was that these three defendants conspired to make use of their positions and powers as directors of all the companies, not in the interest of the companies, but in their own interests.

LORD WIMBORNE NOT IMPLICATED.

"I ought to say," continued counsel, "that Lord Wimborne is not charged with the others as being concerned in the conspiracy. Nor is any allegation made against his bona fides and honesty.

"The sole claim against him arises really from a point of law—whether the other three defendants, in carrying out certain transactions in regard to a market pool in shares of Auto-Made Sales, were his agents and whether he is responsible for any wrongful act they may have committed.

"It is my case that this market pool was a partnership, and a partner is the agent of the other partners. The claim against Lord Wimborne arises on the basis of agency.

"I should make it clear that, if a wrongful act was done by these three other defendants, I do not allege that Lord Wimborne knew of it."

Mr. Gavin Simonds, K.C., for Lord Wimborne, interposed to say that his client's name had been bruited abroad.

"All sorts of charges were made against him," counsel said, "and considerable publicity was given to them. All these charges have been withdrawn and the claim made against Lord Wimborne is not based on impropriety of any kind.

"It is right that publicity should be given to the disclaimer which has just been made."

£489,335, LOST BY TWO COMPANIES

Mr. Tucker, continuing his opening, said that Direct Automatic Sales, Limited, was a wholly-owned subsidiary of Machine-Made Sales, Limited, and Autopax, Limited, was a wholly-owned subsidiary of Auto-Made Sales, Limited. All these companies were in compulsory liquidation on creditors' petitions.

At the date of the liquidation there were 2,147 shareholders of Machine-Made Sales, Limited. The nominal amount of the issued capital was £225,000; all in 5s. shares.

Originally they were 1s. shares, and there was a large issue of them at a premium. Later that premium was capitalised by writing-up the 1s. shares to 5s.

The nominal issued capital of Auto-Made Sales, Limited, was £125,000, and, with the premium charged upon the issue of the shares, the total amount paid was £209,375.

The two companies had a cash capital and premiums of £489,335, every penny of which had been lost.

SHILLING SHARES THAT SOLD AT 33 S.

At one time, continued Mr. Tucker, the shares of Machine-Made Sales, Limited, which were then 1s. shares, were quoted on the market at 33s. per share. The nominal capital was then £45,000, which was thus valued at roughly £1,500,000.

The shares of Auto-Made Sales, Limited, at one time touched 8s. and stood at 7s. for a short while. Their average price was about 6s. for the 1s. share. On that basis they would have been worth £750,000 of the whole capital.

Mr. Tucker said that the whole of the transactions concerned in the case took place between October, 1928, and July, 1930.

Mr. Guest was Lord Wimborne's son. Mr. Selwyn Davies, at all material times, was Parliamentary Secretary and private secretary to Lord Wimborne. Mr. Noel was an engineer who, with another man, was the originator of Direct Automatic Sales.

The quantified claim for damages against Mr. Guest, Mr. Noel and Mr. Davies amounted altogether to £192,806, which was capable of being reduced, on a certain view, to £181,500.

There was a separate claim against Mr. Noel for £1,020, and unquantified claims in which that against Lord Wimborne was included.

DENIALS BY LORD WIMBORNE

Outlining the defence, Mr. Tucker said that Messrs. Guest, Davies and Noel denied conspiracy and all the allegations against them.

Lord Wimborne denied being responsible for the acts of the other defendants. He pleaded that, if, as alleged, there was any pooling of shares—which he did not admit—he did not know of it, and denied that he was a partner in the pool.

He denied liability for any of the declarations or accounts sued for.

The hearing was adjourned.

"I WILL NEVER NAG OR ANNOY"

Wife's Amazing Contract with Husband

"CODE OF CONDUCT" DRAWN UP

A remarkable document, in which a bride undertook never to nag or annoy her husband, was read to the Kingston-on-Thames Magistrates, recently, during the hearing of a summons by Mrs. Diane Mary Cummings for a separation and maintenance order against her husband, Sydney Edward Cummings, of Coombe Lane, Kingston. The grounds given were those of persistent cruelty.

The wife was said to be 23 and the husband 31.

Mr. Salter Nichols, for the wife, said that the couple were married in August 1934, and four days before the marriage took place Cummings told his future wife that it would be necessary for her to sign the following document:—"I, Diane Mary Beard, undertake, by marrying S. E. Cummings, never to nag or annoy or be suspicious of the said S. E. Cummings, and always to obey him. I also agree not to accept alimony or monetary consideration or property in the event of separation or divorce."

Mr. Nichols said that any thwarting or displeasing of the husband had been met with cuffs and blows.

In a code of conduct which Cummings had laid down for his wife he restricted her to four cigarettes per week and refused to allow her to use lipstick.

WIFE'S EVIDENCE

Mrs. Cummings gave evidence saying that her husband struck her on several occasions, one occasion being when she confessed to him that she had been using lipstick.

Cross-examined by Mr. Compton Miller, for the husband, Mrs. Cummings said that she was forced to sign the undertaking.

Mr. Compton Miller—Why did you marry a man who was forcing you to sign a document?

Mrs. Cummings—I don't know. I loved him.

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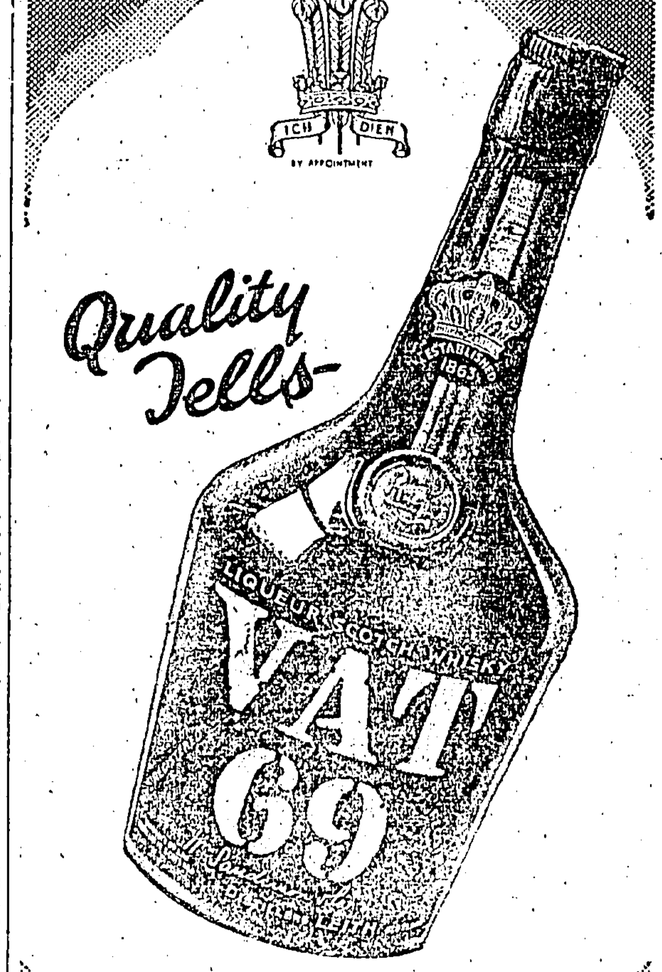
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(2) Milk from grass, without the intermediate dairy stage. Yes, don't laugh, eliminate the cow. Scientists already working on that. You'd better hurry.

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(3) A magnesium alloy as strong as aluminium. Scientists already working on this too. Such an alloy will be one-third lighter than aluminium. Revolutionise airplane manufacture.

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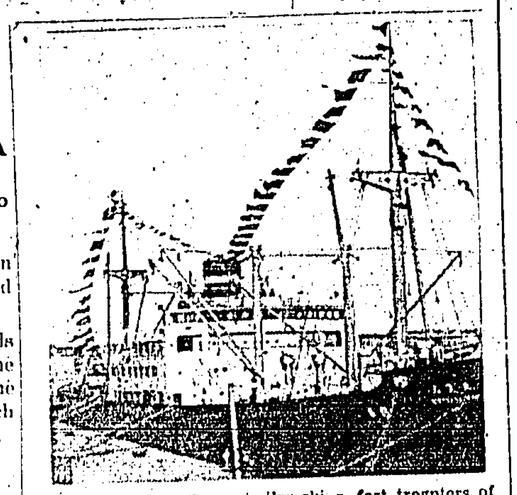
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(5) Certain common cold preventive. Yes, it's an old, old problem; the older it gets, the more valuable its solution. Sneezing and snuffling costs British industry £50,000,000 a year. There'd be plenty for you.

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The first of three similar ships, fast freighters of 20 knots, which are to be put into service on the Far East-North Europe run, calling at Hongkong, and doing the round trip in two months, our photo shows the m.v. Kinugasa Maru, which arrived in port recently. She was inspected by scores of invited guests during the early evening.

MYSTERY WARBOATS

TORPEDO-LAUNCHING, 50-FOOT "CRASH" BOAT CAPABLE OF 50 MILES PER HOUR TOP SPEED

Stamford, Conn., July 21.

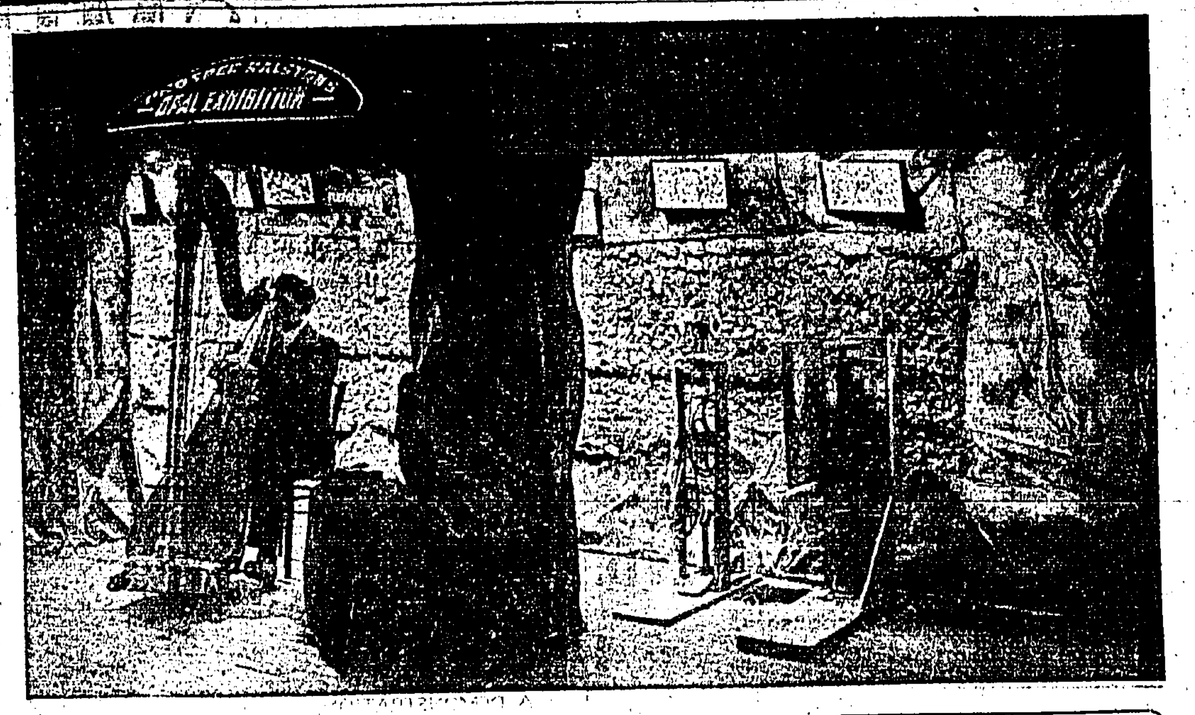
A 50-foot silver and red "crash" boat, which in the next war may launch torpedoes against enemy battleships and outrace any other fighting craft on the seas, swept over the Stamford Harbour recently in final tests.

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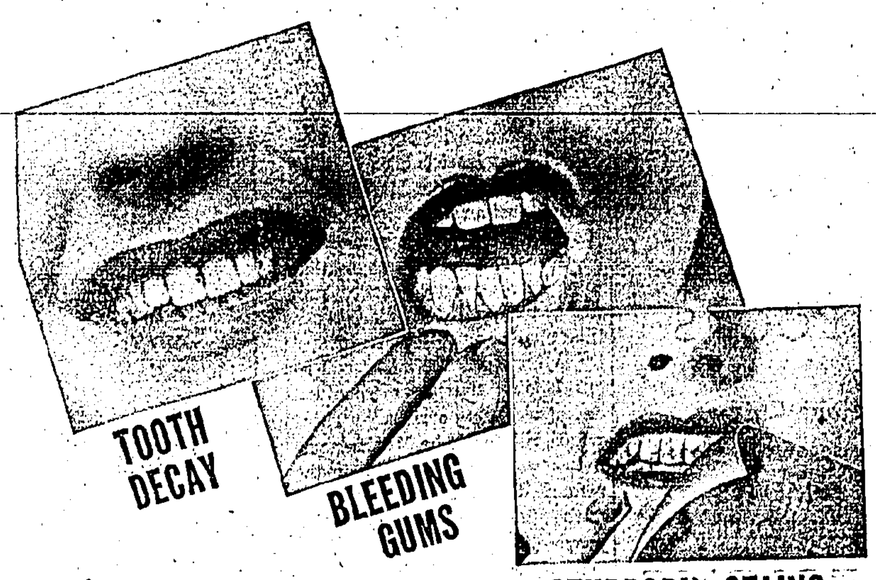
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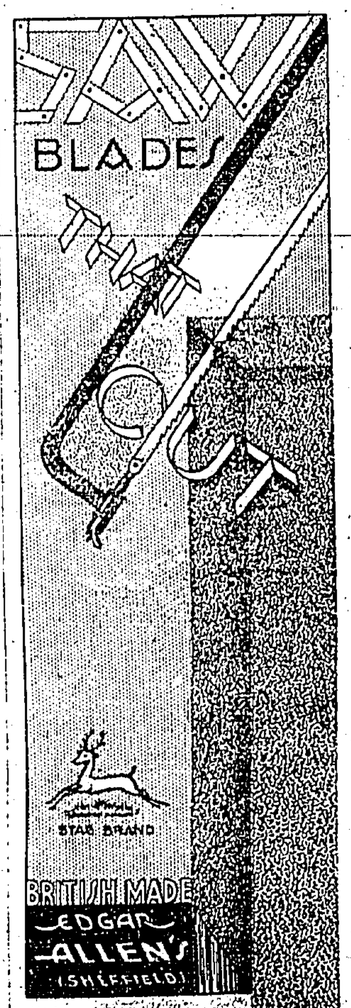
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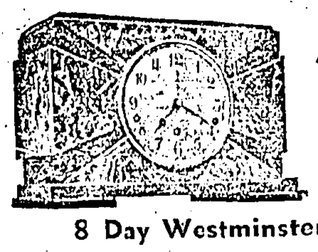
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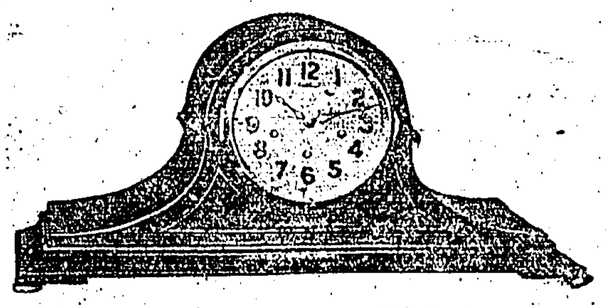


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THIS BUBBLE WILL BURST

A timely warning of the danger of a collapse of the Manila gold share market has been issued by Mr. F. Hausserman, Vice-President of the Benguet Consolidated Mining Company. The opinion is expressed by this gentleman, who is obviously in a position to know the truth, that the market in Manila "is almost entirely a speculator's market, ruled by rumours instead of facts." What is true of Manila is, unhappily, also true of the greater part of the activity in these gold-mining shares on the Hongkong market. A few days ago, we received a communication from a Manila mining engineer commending us on the stand we have taken on this subject, in which the writer noted with pleasure that "there is at least one paper alive to the fact that the Manila stock boom is just a racket." He added that there is not one responsible engineer who does not know that some shares are selling at "from ten to twenty times any possible investment value," and concluded by saying that "the public will be left holding the paper when the day of reckoning arrives." These words, reinforced by Mr. Hausserman's warning, give point to the remark we made some weeks ago to the effect that reputable mining people in Manila, so far from being pleased with this orgy of speculation, are greatly embarrassed by it. Yet the game goes merrily on, with little, if any, knowledge by the speculators of the output or prospects of the concerns in whose stocks they are gambling. When the matter was raised in our columns in June, a correspondent suggested that reckless gambling in these stocks was not at all general on the local market, and that the strictures passed on brokers facilitating such speculation were not warranted. But another correspondent followed this up with a series of questions which have never yet been answered. These, in brief, were whether members of the Exchanges act as brokers or traders; whether, when they act as principals, they disclosed the fact to their clients; whether, as principals, they charge their clients brokerage; whether all transactions, cash or futures, are reported to the Exchanges; and whether any cash at all is required on purchases or sales of futures. In view of the extent to which this speculative mania has grown, these queries are much to the point. *And they certainly call for an answer.* We do not suggest that there is not some genuine business done in these gold stocks, but the evidence is that by far the greater bulk of the dealings fall within the category of deliberate gambling, in which there is no intention that scrip shall pass. Moreover, the majority of the deals are said to be on a forward basis, in which no share numbers are carried on the contract notes. Without question, the facilities given on the local market to speculative activity of this character are productive of most undesirable and unhealthy conditions. As a correspondent quoted above observes, the day of reckoning will surely come. A duty therefore lies on really reputable brokers, who have a regard for Hongkong's reputation and who are conscious of the dangers of the present situation, to make their influence felt on the local Exchanges, so that an end may be put to a state of affairs which is pregnant with disastrous possibilities.

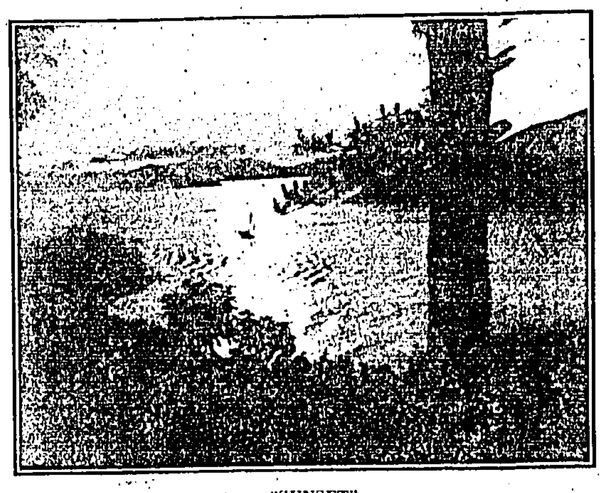
SMILE, PLEASE . . .

Of over 200,000 snaps taken every year these are the type worth entering in the "Telegraph" Competition.



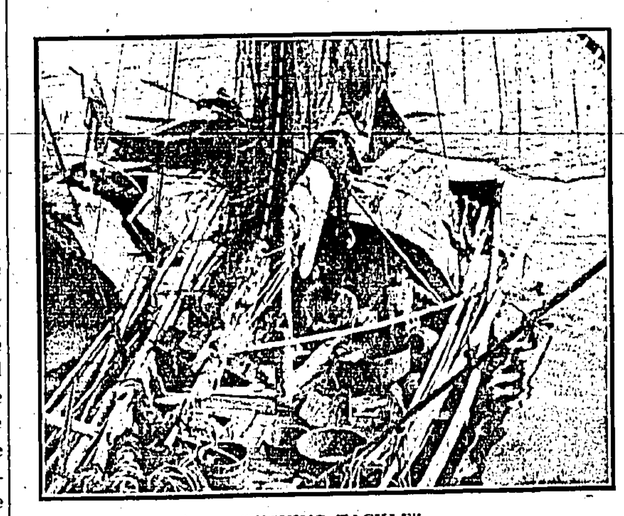
"I'VE SEEN WORSE"

Section One entry in this year's Competition.



"SUNSET"

One of the entries received for Section III.



"FISHING TACKLE"

is a particularly fine entry in Section One.

Thousands of snaps will be taken in Hongkong this summer. Yours might be the one that will win a valuable prize in the Hongkong "Telegraph's" annual Photographic Competition. This article, based on statistics obtained from local wholesale photographic dealers, tells of the mighty industry built up by amateur photographers, how this summer they will expose enough films in Hongkong alone to stretch from the Kowloon wharves to Japan, what pictures they take, and why.

TO-DAY and to-morrow, if the weather is fine, an average of 1,200 cameras will click 4,800 times and expose four acres of film, at a total cost of $500, or roughly 40 cents per head.

In three months, given fine weather each summer week-end, 100,000,000 photographs will be taken in and around Hongkong.

These figures give some indication of the astounding popularity of amateur photography.

By taking these statistics, and comparing them with the number of entries received in "Telegraph" competitions since their inception six years ago, we are able to obtain some idea of the "Psychology Snapshooters."

If the classification of the entries in the "Telegraph" competitions of past years are any indication, of the total of, roughly, 200,000 photographs developed and printed by certain dealers in Hongkong, this year by far the greatest majority will be pictures that will tell a story. Maybe it will be a story of the family, of the pet dog, a human interest scene at the beach, or a crowd at a picnic. There will be over 60,000 of this type of picture.

Next in popularity with Hongkong snapshooters will be views of the Colony. Hongkong snapshooters are perhaps the most inveterate photographers of views of any photographers in the world, due, no doubt, to the special scenic subjects at their disposal. Almost 20 per cent. of this year's 200,000 amateur photographs, or a total of approximately 40,000 negatives, will be of views of the Colony. Faces and figures will interest us to the extent of 15.4 per cent. of our total snaps, roughly 6,400 photographs. Most of our beach and sea photographs will be taken during the summer months, nevertheless, *Click* will go the shutter of our cameras on at least 5,000 occasions before the end of the year.

Still views will interest use almost as much as faces and figures. We will take photographs from the Peak, of the Peak, by day and by night, of the harbour, of the Lido and countless other subjects not covered by other less ordinary scenic views on 4,800 occasions.

Usually, photographs of children are regarded as the most popular subject for the snapshooting fiend. But out here only 9.3 per cent. of our photographs will be of juveniles.

The remaining 7 per cent. of our photographs will cover a whole mass of almost unclassifiable subjects. So simple are modern cameras, that only 5 per cent. of the total number of developed snaps are not worth printing.

Despite the fact that only 19,000 of this year's photographs will be of children, many a family man buys his camera in order to keep a permanent record of his family. It is difficult to estimate how many adoring fathers and mothers are represented by the 19,000 family snaps, but it can be fairly reliably estimated that they will require more than 20 acres of printing paper—more than enough to cover the top of the Peak—before the year is out—what with enlargements, reprints and the like.

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ALTHOUGH the majority of Hongkong people are inveterate camera-users, their efforts fade into insignificance compared with those of people in England. For instance, workshops in England developed and printed last year no less than 128,000,000 snaps.

A film is coated with a silver-salt emulsion which can be converted with sunlight, developed by certain chemicals and finally fixes to give the finished negative. In order to obtain the silver salts required for the manufacture of film, a well-known English firm has to buy large quantities of silver every year. Apart from His Majesty's Mint, they are the biggest purchasers of bullion in Britain. Hongkong's Treasury requirements during the palmy days of silver fell far short of the requirements of this firm.

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FOR the purposes of developing Hongkong's 200,000 films 250 gallons of developer are used in this Colony annually. It may interest photographers to know that their spare time work gives employment to over 300 people, some of whom are Europeans.

The rush hours for photographic dealers, to whom you send your films to be developed, are at the beginning of the week when the week-end snapshots are brought in.

The final stages of the "Telegraph" competition, when many competitors decide on their entries, means overtime and working far into the night for dozens of Chinese experts.

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AND all this because Schulze discovered in 1832 that chloride of silver was darkened by light—because Wedgewood and Davey made pictures on glass by means of silver nitrate in 1862—and finally because George Eastman invented the roll film in 1885.

Just think of it when you next "go snap".

BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts

Things we should like to see: A life insurance agent selling a policy to a life insurance agent.

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Quill tooth-picks are again in favour. Makes us feel quite goosey!

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Rotarians were enlightened as to the intricacies of life insurance recently. Otherwise, begging in the district is normal.

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By the same token, we notice that life-insurance agents do not receive salaries. This accounts for their willingness to take risks.

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Auntie Cyclone thinks that a radio fan must be some kind of wireless punkah.

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If all we hear is true, P.W.D. should stand for Persistent Weekly Demands.

Mid-level residents complain about soot. We've heard some smutty stories even on the higher levels.

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European ladies have at last taken to the split skirt. It certainly is a nice kneesy fashion.

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Hundreds of beer-taps have been offered at auction during the last few months. Suppose somebody's gone bung.

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A Peak servant, after purloining cleaning materials, was described as "A Polish Specialist." We trust that the Consul for Poland will not create a shine about this.

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"Grim Lawn Bowls Match," says heading. This tendency familiarly to abbreviate distinguished players' surnames is to be deprecated.

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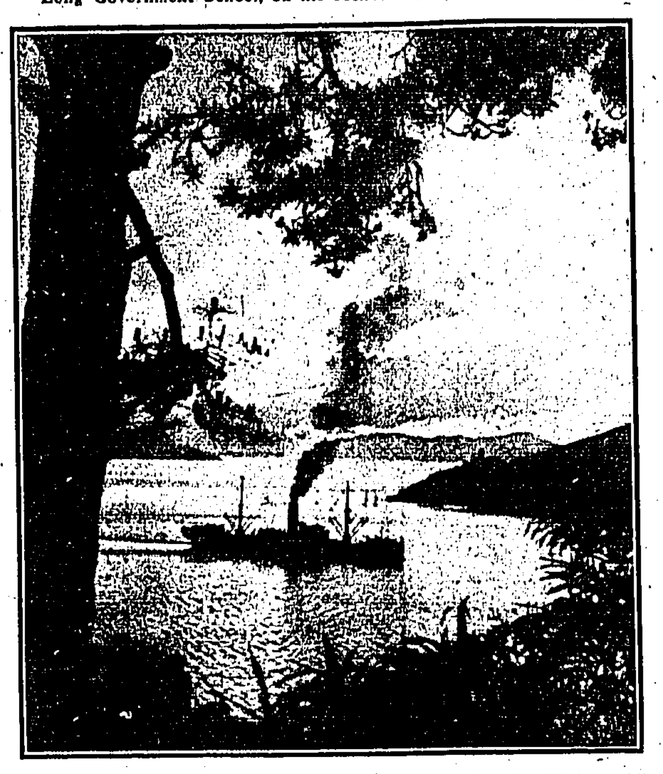
Group taken at a farewell party to Mr. Lee King-shum, Headmaster of Un Long Government School, on his retirement. (Photo: A. Fong).



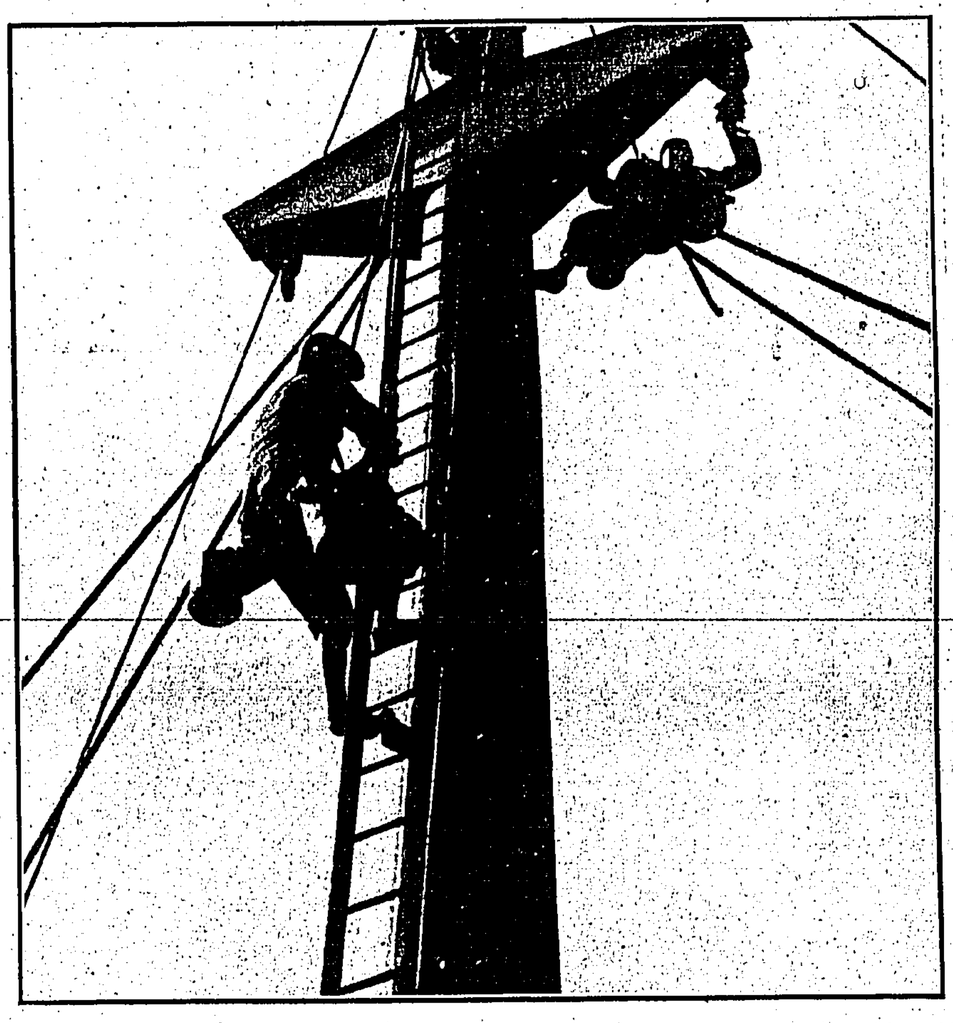
An excellent paddy-field study—"The Last Rows"—entered in Section One of the "Telegraph" Amateur Photographic Competition.



Entitled "The Sentinel," this picture has been entered in Section Three of the "Telegraph" Amateur Photographic competition.



"A Homeward Steamer"—a Section Three entry in the "Telegraph" Competition.



"Painters at work on a Mast"—entered in Section One of the "Telegraph" Amateur Photographic Competition.



Left, Mr. Lok Yu-kong, General Secretary of the Provincial Government in Canton; right General Li Kit-chi, former Garrison Commander at Bocca Tigris, now appointed Chief of the Bureau of Public Safety in Canton. (Photo: Far Eastern Pictorial Correspondents).



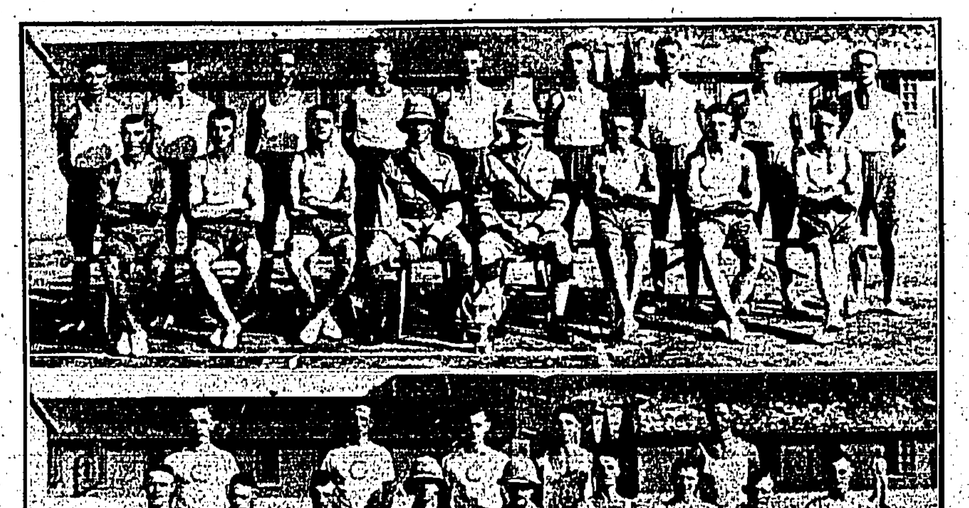
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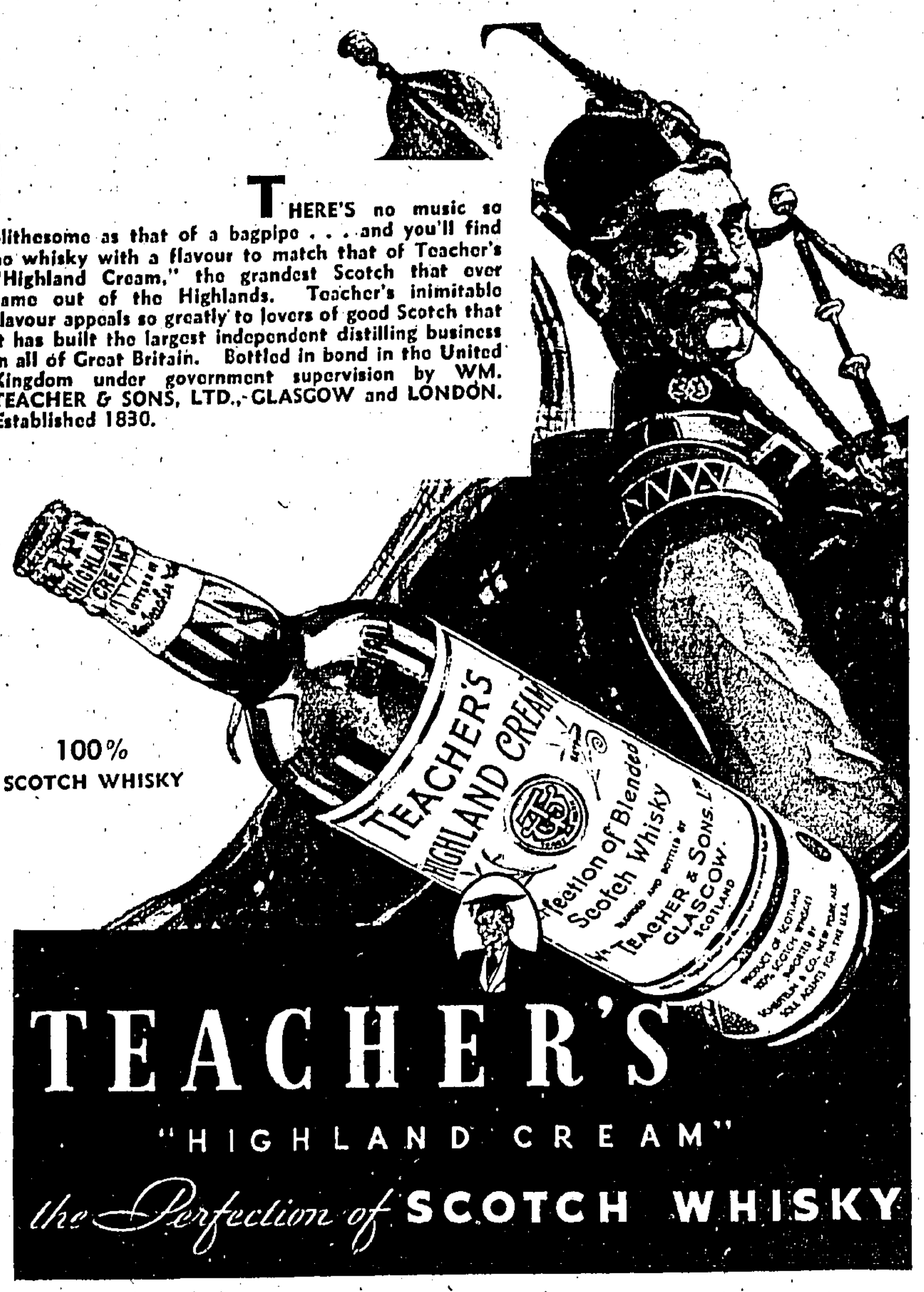


Above, team from C. Company of the 2nd. East Lancashire Regiment, winners of Inter-Company Rowing Cup; below, members of the same Company, winners of the R.A.T.A. Athletic Shield. (Photos: Mee Cheong).

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ENTERTAINMENT PAGE

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The Hongkong Broadcasting authorities also want to know.

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All you have to do is to fill in the coupon published on this page, denoting in order of preference which ten items you prefer ZBW to broadcast.

It is hardly likely that there will be a tie. But in that event two judges, the Editor of the *Hongkong Telegraph* and Mr. M. N. Rakusen, Manager of Philco Distributors, will award the prize to the tied entry which, in their opinion, makes the most constructive suggestion regarding ZBW programmes.

More than ordinary interest attaches to this competition, in view of the fact that the final result may influence ZBW's future programme policy.

In an interview, the Chairman of the Hongkong Broadcasting Committee, Mr. H. R. Butters, stated that official cognisance would be taken of the result.

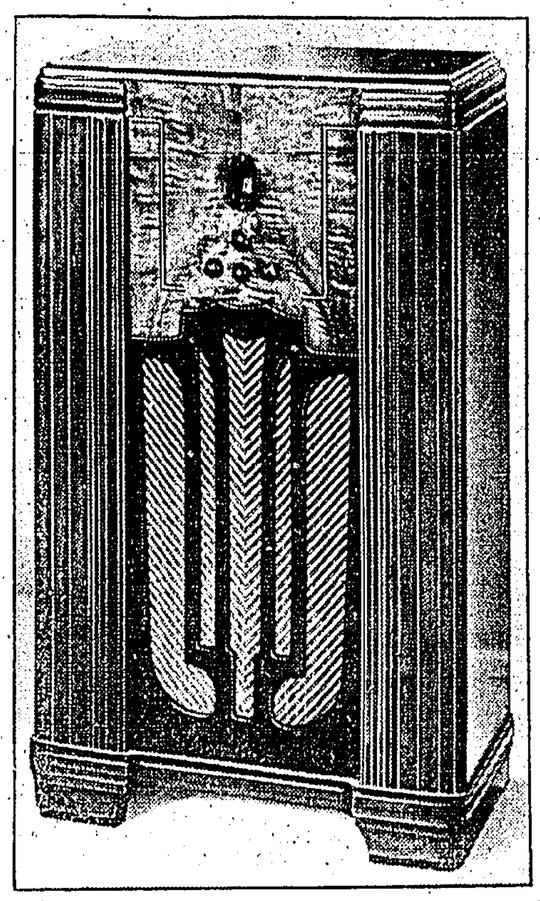
Hitherto, the Hongkong Broadcasting Committee has relied upon occasional letters to the Programme Secretary for suggestions in attempting to cater for the wishes of listeners.

This is a comprehensive attempt to obtain the views of the majority of listeners, all of whom will have the opportunity of indicating their wishes.

The competition will close on Tuesday, August 11. Read the rules before submitting your entry.

It is not imperative that entrants should submit suggestions, as these will be considered only in the case of a tie.

However, it should be noted that, in the event of a tie, only those tied entries which include suggestions for improving ZBW's programmes will be included in the final adjudication.



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The magnificent six-valve Philco Console offered as a prize to the winner of the Competition.

FILL IN THIS COUPON TO RECORD YOUR VOTE

Vote 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 in your order of preference. Each No. 1 vote will receive 10 points, each No. 2 vote nine points, each No. 3 vote eight points and so on. Your ballot MUST be marked with the figures 1 to 10.

You need not necessarily choose the items given below, which have been arranged alphabetically. Other suggested items are given, but you are at liberty to insert any further item you would like to record.

VOTE FOR TEN ITEMS ONLY

- .... Classical Programmes
- .... Dance Music
- .... Daventry Relays (Dance)
- .... Daventry Relays (Sporting)
- .... Daventry Relays (General)
- .... Grand Opera
- .... Hongkong Hotel Relays
- .... Light Opera
- .... Military Bands
- .... Orchestral Music
- .... Pianoforte Recitals
- .... Rotary Club Relays
- .... Studio Talks
- .... Variety Programmes
- .....
- .....
- .....

Answers to the following questions are not included in the competition (answer "YES" or "NO"):

- .... Would you like to have early morning programmes from ZBW?
- .... Would you like relays from short wave stations other than Daventry?
- .... Are you satisfied with ZBW'S present programmes?

Other suggested items for which you might like to vote are: B.B.C. Dance Orchestra; Baritone Recitals; Church Services; Contralto Recitals; Choral Music; Folk Songs; Gilbert & Sullivan; Jazz Piano Recitals; Light Concerts; Musical Comedy; National Music; Organ Recitals; Organ Relays (Daventry); Press Bulletins (Reuter). Press Bulletins (Daventry); Studio Recitals; Studio Concerts; Studio Variety Items; Studio Talks; Sporting Commentaries (Local); Sopranos; Symphony Orchestras; Stock & Share Announcements; Tenors; Violin Recitals; Vocal Gems; Weather Reports.

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ADDRESS .....

RULES

1.—Entrants are required to vote for 10 items, using the numbers "1" to "10". Only one coupon may be submitted by each entrant.

2.—The entrant who forecasts in their correct order the final Ten Items chosen by voters will win the prize. In the event of no entrant correctly forecasting the final vote, the prize will go to the entrant whose forecast is nearest to the correct vote.

3.—In the event of a tie, the prize will go to the entrant who, in the opinion of the two judges, makes the most constructive suggestion regarding ZBW programmes. The two judges will be Mr. Rakusen, Manager in Hongkong for Messrs. Philco Radio Distributors, and the Editor of the Hongkong "Telegraph". All entrants must agree to abide by their decision, which shall be final.

4.—The competition will close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11 and results will be published on the following Saturday.

5.—The form printed in the "Telegraph" must be used in submitting votes. However, a separate sheet of paper (with entrant's name and address clearly written upon it) must be used in submitting suggestions for the improvement of ZBW programmes.

6.—Members of the Staffs of the *South China Morning Post* or *Hongkong Telegraph* and their relatives will not be allowed to compete.

LETTERS

Woods' Twins May Broadcast

I add my request to yours of last Saturday that ZBW ask the Misses Doris and Aileen Woods to broadcast. It has always been a matter of amazement to me that ZBW, always crying out about the lack of local talent, had not tried to get these singers.—L.

**ZBW says that the two Misses Woods, if they consent, will be on the air in the near future.*

DONAT

IN view of the great popularity of Robert Donat, would it not pay the Star Theatre to re-issue his film, "The Count of Monte Cristo" as an old Favourite.—My Favourite.

OTHER STAR

CAN you please tell me the name of the male star in Shirley Temple's picture in which she sings, "The world owes me a living"? Other members of the cast were Carol Lombard and Sir Guy Standing.—F. W.

**Gary Cooper. The film was "Now and Forever."*

THE KING TO SPEAK TO HIS EMPIRE

BROADCAST OF CORONATION

RADIO news to-day is of the King's Coronation. It is good news.

Because, as I understand the situation, the B.B.C. is bracing itself for the greatest, the most expensive and elaborate effort of its career.

Already orders have gone forth to heads of programme departments. By August next, say these orders, we want your ideas and suggestions for a year of Coronation broadcasts.

Which means, my friends, that for twelve solid months during 1937-38 the B.B.C. proposes to put up programmes unlike any you have heard before. Money, I understand, is to be of no object.

A substantial increase in programme allowance, you may remember, was made during the period of the Jubilee Celebration programmes last year.

The allowance to be made to producers during 1937-38 Coronation programmes is considerably in advance of that—beyond any normal producer's wildest dreams.

The Coronation is on May 12, 1937.

But long before that, probably about February, the B.B.C. will begin its succession of gala programmes.

BIG MONEY STARS

Famous artists, American and Continental, are to be engaged throughout the year—artists who, in normal circumstances, would be beyond the B.B.C.'s pocket.

Every producer and assistant producer is expected to work towards making 1937 programmes the brightest, snappiest, and most original yet conceived.

In charge of the light entertainment department will be Eric Maschwitz. He is on holiday at the moment, but it is anticipated that he will return about August with a cut and dried schedule in his pocket. Plans for the actual Coronation Day are going ahead. The King will speak on May 12.

THE KING'S SPEECH

He will broadcast a message to the Empire, explaining the Coronation ceremony and its significance in Imperial matters.

Listeners will also hear a commentary on the scenes at Buckingham Palace as the King leaves in his golden coach. Dozens of microphones, each with an attendant commentator, will line the routes.

In Westminster Abbey, it is hoped, there will be more microphones—each in a point of vantage to describe the spectacle.

SERVICE BROADCAST

Listeners will probably hear the actual service, and the words of the Archbishop of Canterbury as he places the crown on the King's head.

One hundred thousand people, including 200 Indian princes, and the crowned heads of most of the world, are expected to visit England during the summer of 1937. The B.B.C. is out to show them, as well as its own listeners, that British broadcasting is second to none in the world.

QUIET CORNER

The Waiting House

THE down seems empty except for scattered patches of bright yellow gorse, arched bramble and dwarf thorn, until, where the land slopes sharply away from the ridge, the house comes suddenly into view.

Its high, solid walls of flint and brick seem to spring straight from the downland turf which hems it in on every side.

There is no road or pathway to break the green herbage which surrounds it in the valley where it stands. The sheep graze beneath its broken windows and in the walled yard where the farm buildings are falling into ruin.

The red-tiled roof of the house looks as sound as when it was built not many decades ago, and there is an air of expectancy about the place, as though a new tenant might be coming any day. But the last tenant left it when this century was young.

COUNTRYMAN.

CURRENT AFFAIRS TEST

Home Affairs

1.—New Hongkong Edward VIII stamps are ready to be submitted for approval. They will be issued before the Coronation, which will take place next year on (1) June 23; (2) May 1; (3) October 10; (4) May 12; (5) March 20.

2.—The Hongkong Government proposes to permit voluntary retirement of certain Government officials before the age of fifty, because (1) they have reached the age limit; (2) the Government wishes to effect economies; (3) they are suffering from ill-health; (4) the Government considers they are superfluous; (5) they are not British-born.

3.—Mr. Arthur Greenwood, who has taken a prominent part in the attack on the Government's foreign policy, was formerly: (1) Foreign Secretary, (2) Home Secretary, (3) Minister of Labour, (4) President of the Board of Trade, (5) Minister of Health.

4.—The Home Government has approved "in principle" the construction of: (1) A sister ship to the *Queen Mary* (2) A Channel tunnel, (3) An underground car park in Leicester Square, (4) Gas-proof dugouts in Hyde Park, (5) A new dockyard at Rosyth.

5.—The National Liberal Federation has ceased to exist, having now been merged in the reorganised Liberal party. The last President of the Federation was (1) Mr. Ramsay Muir, (2) Sir Archibald Sinclair, (3) Sir Herbert Samuel, (4) Lord Lothian, (5) Mrs. Corbett Ashby.

Foreign Affairs

6.—President Roosevelt has again been nominated as his party's candidate for the U.S. Presidency. His party is called (1) the National Party, (2) the Democrats, (3) the New Deal, (4) the Republicans, (5) Pan-American.

7.—A Conference assembled at Montreux recently agreed to (1) the internationalisation of air routes, (2) the Turkish claim to re-fortify the Dardanelles, (3) the "Nazification" of Rumania, (4) the proposal to establish a Swiss navy, (5) a 40-hour week for industrial employees.

8.—Massawa was reported early in the week to be in flames, with 200 lives lost. Massawa is in (1) Palestine; (2) Spain; (3) Abyssinia; (4) Eritrea; (5) Italian Somaliland.

9.—Civil war has swept through Spain. The Spanish Government is led by Senor Jose Giral and is (1) Communistic; (2) Royalist; (3) Centre Party; (4) Left Republican; (5) Autonomous Right Party.

10.—The Bersaglieri have been triumphantly paraded in Italy. They are distinguished by the wearing of (1) cock's feathers, (2) sprigs of laurel, (3) plumes of horsehair, (4) ostrich feathers (5) skull and crossbones.

How To Do It

FIVE possible answers are given for each question. Example 0. The Prime Minister of Great Britain is (1) MacDonald, (2) Chamberlain, (3) Hailsham, (4) Baldwin, (5) Lloyd George.

Baldwin is the correct answer. The number of this question is 0; the number 4 (meaning Baldwin) has been placed at the right of 0 on the answer sheet. At the end of the Test check your replies with the answers given on Page 12. There are no prizes.

General

11.—It was Mr. George Bernard Shaw's birthday on Monday. He was born in (1) 1888; (2) 1856; (3) 1840; (4) 1851; (5) 1866.

12.—A recent film was "The Story of Louis Pasteur." Pasteur was born in: (1) 1795, (2) 1822, (3) 1848, (4) 1861, (5) 1880.

13.—"Toc H" recently celebrated its 21st birthday. The movement was founded by: (1) Lord Baden-Powell, (2) Canon "Dick" Sheppard, (3) Rev. P. B. Clayton, (4) Sir Ian Hamilton, (5) General Booth.

14.—France has been commemorating the centenary of the death of Rouget de Lisle. He was: (1) the inventor of the guillotine, (2) Napoleon's companion at St. Helena, (3) first governor of Martinique, (4) landscape painter and etcher, (5) author of the *Marseillaise*.

15.—This is the season for thunderstorms. A flash of lightning always seems to precede its accompanying thunder because: (1) the thunder has farther to travel, (2) there are usually heavy clouds in the vicinity, (3) most people see better than they can hear, (4) light travels faster than sound, (5) sound travels by a more roundabout route.

16.—During the week, the "Telegraph" published an article about Dr. Alexander Cannon and Mrs. Van der Elst. Mrs. Van der Elst is a (1) well-known prohibitionist; (2) famous sportswoman (3) capital punishment abolitionist; (4) famous actress; (5) radium expert.

17.—Maxim Gorki is dead. He was: (1) a Russian novelist, (2) inventor of a machine gun, (3) Bolshevist dictator in Budapest, (4) head of the O.G.P.U., (5) leader of a successful expedition to the Antarctic.

18.—The thermometer was 86° Fahrenheit yesterday. This is the equivalent on the Centigrade scale of (1) 26°, (2) 13.8°, (3) 30°, (4) 47.5°, (5) 22°.

19.—Cutty Sark is in the news. Cutty Sark is: (1) A strange seamonster, (2) One of the Australian grain fleet, (3) One of the Channel Islands, (4) A fugitive trawler, (5) A clipper formerly engaged in the tea trade.

Arts and Books

20.—Danilova has scored a great success in London in the ballet "The Good-Humoured Ladies." The music is by: (1) Tchaikovsky, (2) Chopin, (3) Brahms, (4) Rimski-Korsakoff, (5) Scarlatti.

21.—A book reviewed in the "Telegraph" this week was "The Power of Karma", by Dr. A. Cannon. It dealt with (1) the Indian Mutiny; (2) detective versus gangsters; (3) the secret service; (4) reincarnation; (5) birth control.

22.—The Oxford University Dramatic Society has been performing "As You Like It." The heroine of this play is: (1) Rosalind, (2) Beatrice, (3) Titania, (4) Viola, (5) Miranda.

23.—An outstanding film success of the week was "The 39 Steps", featuring Robert Donat and Madeline Carroll. The author was (1) Edgar Wallace; (2) Hugh Walpole; (3) John Buchan; (4) Dornford Yates (5) Sir Philip Gibbs.

24.—A new book, *Romantic Adventure*, is the life story of: (1) "Ouida," (2) Lord Byron, (3) Herbert Spencer, (4) Lady Hamilton, (5) Elinor Glyn.

25.—The title of Mr. Aldous Huxley's new novel, *Eyeless in Gaza*, is taken from a line in: (1) *Paradise Lost*, (2) *The Canterbury Tales*, (3) *Samson Agonistes*, (4) *The Rape of the Lock*, (5) *The Ring and the Book*.

26.—Mr. Bernard Newdigate has published a new edition of the poems of Ben Jonson. Ben Jonson was the author of the line(s): (1) Fair daffodils we weep to see You haste away so soon, (2) Drink to me only with thine eyes, (3) To-morrow to fresh woods and pastures new, (4) Take, O take those lips away That so sweetly were forsworn, (5) Bid me to live and I will live Thy Protestant to be.

Sport

27.—The Royal Liverpool course at Hoylake, where the Open Golf Championship was played, is one of the longest in Britain. The approximate length of the championship course is (1) 5½ miles, (2) 4 miles, (3) 2½ miles, (4) 2,400 yards, (5) 1,800 yards.

28.—L. Amarnath, one of the Indian "Test" cricketers, returned to India last month because (1) he had sprained an ankle, (2) English wickets did not suit him, (3) he had engagements at home, (4) he was said to have behaved insubordinately, (5) he objected to "barracking" by spectators.

29.—England defeated Australia in the Challenge Round of the Davis Cup by three matches to two. England has now retained the Davis Cup for (1) four years in succession; (2) three years in succession; (3) five years in succession; (4) six years in succession; (5) two successive years.

30.—Including this year, Australia (or Australasia) and England have met eight times in the Davis Cup finals. Of the eight matches England has won the Davis Cup (1) on every occasion; (2) seven times; (3) twice; (4) thrice; (5) five times.

ANSWER SHEET

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SCORE

TESTS ANSWERS

Current Affairs

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(7)	2	(17)	1	(27)	2
(8)	4	(18)	3	(28)	4
(9)	3	(19)	5	(29)	1
(10)	1	(20)	5	(30)	4

Girls' *and* Boys' Corner

Dear Kiddies,

You simply overwhelmed me with entries this week. Evidently you like crossword puzzles, but I shall have to give you a harder one later on, as most of you got the correct answers this time.

That made judging all the harder, but I've gone through each entry very carefully, and after taking age and neatness into account, I award the Senior prize to

Wendy Anslow (aged 12), 3 Ventris Road; and the Junior award to

Alex Pereira (aged 7), 3 Calcada do Gamboa, Macao.

Specially commended for good work are Eileen Smith, Choung-Yee-har, Robert Harper, Zaza Sulliad, Cecilia Passos, Reggie Andre, Margaret Chen, Cecilia Pereira, Socorro Castro, Margie Xavier, Audrey Ablong, Pamela Ho, Patsy Kotewall, Socorro Baptista, Vera Dhabher (Shameen), Maisie Reis, Suen Mo-tak, Joan MacFayden, Diana Hosking and Pauline Strange, among the Seniors; and Binoy Deb, Irene Osmund, Therese Prata, Frank Sabey, Leonard Leong, Roberto de Sousa, Eileen Andrew and Sheik Brown, among the Juniors.



PAULINE ABBOTT, Last week's Senior winner.

The "Telegraph" Competitions have now been running for five months, and on looking through the list of winners I see that 28 prizes have been won by girls and only 13 by boys. Only three boys have won senior prizes. Now, boys, it's time you got busy! Margie Xavier has won the senior prize twice, whilst amongst the juniors Irene Osmund has secured three prizes, with Leslie Giles, Kathleen Morrison and Joan Hamilton each having won twice.

NEW COMPETITION

Now, children, we're going to have another painting competition this week; but instead of giving you a set picture to colour I'm going to let you choose your own!

You can select an illustration from any advertisement appearing in any part of to-day's issue of the *Telegraph* or Supplement; then colour it either with paints or crayons.

As usual, there will be two prizes—one for children from 10 to 14, and the other for kiddies under 10. Address your entries to Uncle Eddie, c/o "Hongkong Telegraph," and send them in not later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday.

UNCLE EDDIE.

NEW JOB: AIR PURSER

THE flying purser appears this year—exact counterpart of the officer who helps you on board ship. Pursers are being chosen for the twenty-eight 17½ ton flying boats building at Rochester for Atlantic and speeded-up Empire services.

They will work on journeys like this: Three days to New York, a week to Australia, four days to South Africa. Each will have an office, with typewriter and ship's papers, on the top deck behind the pilots. Each will have up to twenty-four passengers and three and a half tons of freight to look after and put off at the right places.

Between Australia and England the flying purser will have to change six or seven currencies for passengers.

At night the purser will have sixteen sleeping berths to look after. He will have two stewards to help him.

The law in fact and fiction

Sir Jasper Forecloses

SIR JASPER sneered, "Pay me by twelve noon or the homestead is mine," he said. Widow Smith's eyes filled with tears.

"Please, please, give me a little more time," she pleaded piteously.

"Not a minute. Unless you have the money by midday I foreclose the mortgage."

Actually this is the sort of thing, which would really happen.

As twelve o'clock strikes Sir Jasper picks up the 'phone, rings up his solicitor and tells him to foreclose the mortgage. Solicitor insists on appointment, explaining that it is a rather complicated matter. Appointment fixed for the next day.

It Takes Time

Following afternoon finds Sir Jasper at his solicitor's. Solicitor tries to persuade Sir Jasper not to foreclose. It will be very expensive and elaborate. Sir Jasper finally issues ultimatum; either solicitor forecloses or he goes elsewhere. Solicitor succumbs.

Particulars of the case are drawn up (takes about a month), and sent out to counsel for his opinion. Counsel keeps them for another month ("doesn't do to show we're not busy," his clerk murmurs to himself).

Another Six Months

The case is set down for hearing (takes another fortnight), and three months after that it comes on in the Chancery Division, where foreclosure order nisi is granted.

"At last," Sir Jasper cries when he hears the news, "the house and farm are mine."

A conference with solicitor shows him that he has been a bit previous. Foreclosure order nisi is a provisional sort of affair, it is explained. It can be made absolute in six months only if Widow Smith cannot find the money in the meantime.

The widow fails to find money, and seven months later the order is made absolute.

With what is left of his once large fortune after paying costs of foreclosure proceedings, Sir Jasper starts boring for the oil which he knows, and you know, but Widow Smith doesn't know, lies under the Smith property.

Oil proves a little difficult to find but just as money is nearly exhausted a gusher is struck.

Now She Can Win

When the news is brought to Sir Jasper, he gloats wickedly. While gloating, the solicitor arrives. Breathlessly he explains that Widow Smith has brought an action to reopen the foreclosure. She will win if she can find the money, and will have no difficulty about that now oil is discovered.

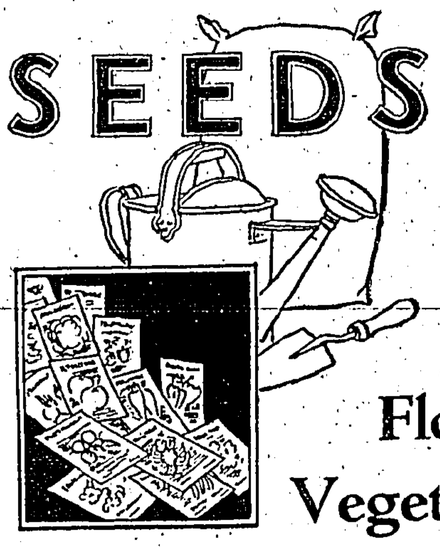
How fowls are fascinated

SNAKES fascinate their prey with their gaze. Experiments have shown that the same thing can be done with a chicken.

A straight white chalk line about three feet long is drawn with a short cross-line near one end.

The fowl is stood at the end of the chalk line with its beak touching the ground at the point where the lines cross.

The majority of fowls remain perfectly still, fascinated, unable to move.



SEEDS

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If Your Name Is MABEL

Symbol: A fairy queen dancing in the moonlight.

THIS name signifies pride; and nobility of mind, with much personal magnetism and power over others.

Sunday is your lucky day, and the hours of 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. are the best, and the 10th and the 19th days of the month are the most propitious if your name is Mabel.

The colour that is most harmonic to your personality is yellow; from the palest primrose to the deepest shade of orange.

Enrich your decorations by making use of these shades, and let yours be a sunshine room.

For your jewels wear rubies, and you will be happy in love. Your flower is the snapdragon, and your lucky numbers are 1 and 10.

Do you suffer from SEA HAIR?

WEEK-ENDS by the sea, do you grumble that just when you want to look as attractive as possible you lose all control over your waves? They come out, frizz, or go lank.

Your hair is as sensitive to a change of air as your lungs. The drying quality of sea-salt air rushes straight to the head and unless it is counteracted by extra, applied oiliness, it will upset the waves.

☆ ★ ☆

During summer, tell your hairdresser to thin out your hair (if it is at all thick). Well thinned and shaped to your head, it will not lose contour so easily.

Before sleepiebye rub a little oil of sweet almonds into the roots—not much, just enough to give it a slightly brilliantined look—and wear a net.

Don't try to counteract any fuzziness by using a wet comb, as this will only make the scalp more dry and, if you go out in the sun afterwards, may cause it to bleach in streaks.

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If you have light brown hair and want to sun-bleach it, you can speed up the process by brushing a little spirit, such as eau de Cologne, over it before you sun bathe. (This, too, is drying, but if you are applying oil at night, should not affect it much.)

If you have weakly, thin hair, go out as much as possible without a hat. Fresh air is an excellent tonic.

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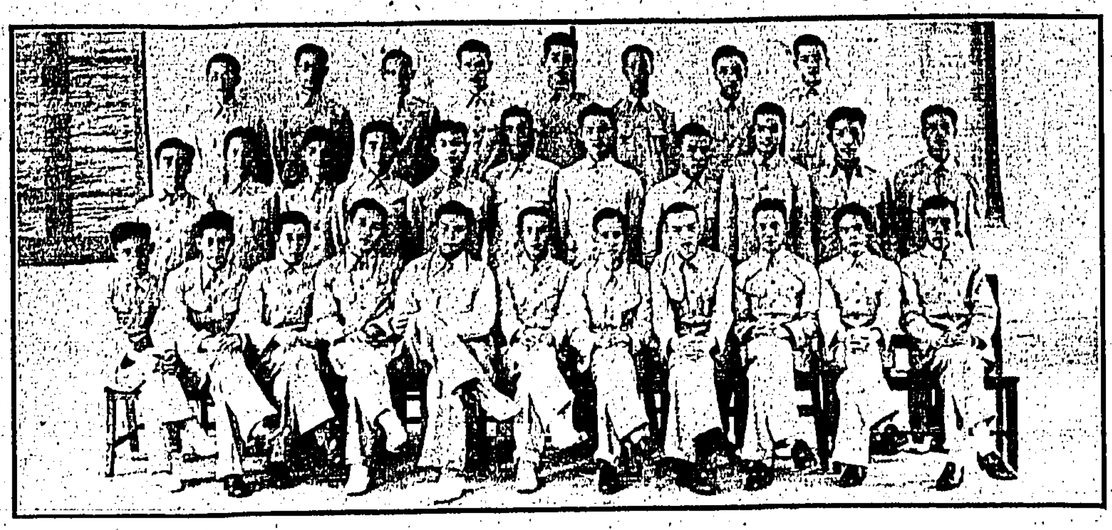
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This group was taken on the occasion of the graduation ceremony of the fifth year students of the Sai Nam Middle School. (Photo: Kwong Ngai Studio).



Third year girl students of the Sai Nam Middle School who recently graduated. (Photo: Kwong Ngai Studio).

SUMMER SALE

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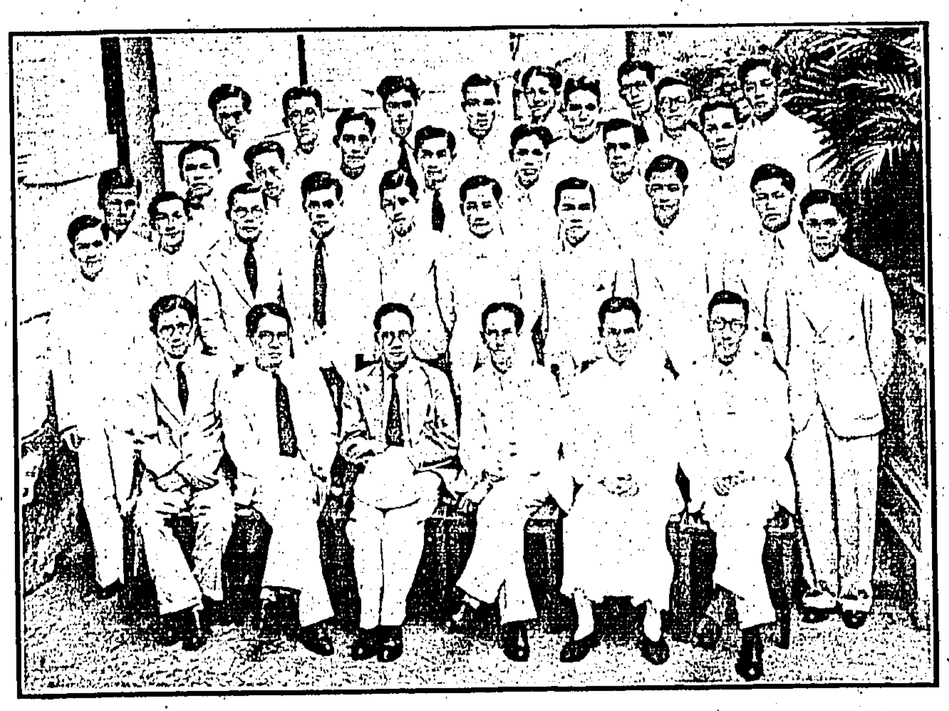
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The Matriculation Class of the Ching Hwa College. Seated in centre is Mr. C. P. Hung, B.A., the Headmaster. (Photo: Yim Fong Studio).

THIS WEEK

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City Doctor Discovers "Tell-the-Truth" Drug

ONE INJECTION —AND YOU JUST "OWN UP"

Edinburgh, July 15.

A DRUG which makes people tell the truth has been discovered by an Edinburgh doctor.

The results of the experiments he has already conducted are so remarkable that criminologists all over the world are contemplating adopting it for the interrogation of suspected persons.

The doctor believes that this drug will:
Solve many cases of loss of memory.
Enable the police to learn the truth about crimes.
Eradicate many domestic misunderstandings.
Help scientists to learn more about the subconscious mind.

In a report on his experiments which he has made to the medical authorities the doctor says:

"I found that after the injection of the drug, immediately preceding sleep, the patients became talkative.

"Many facts that had lain dormant in the subconscious mind for years were brought to light.

"One respectable civil servant who went under the anaesthetic made surprising statements regarding his views on a number of affairs.

"They were in marked contrast with the gentlemanly, dignified and well-bred demeanour he normally presented.

"In another case, a young married woman under the anaesthetic told of previous incidents in her life. It was possible, when she came round, to identify these as the cause of unfriendliness she had shown towards her husband."

Patients, on regaining consciousness had no recollection of the remarks they had made while under the anaesthetic.

Bette Davis Is "Suspended"



Hollywood, July 21.

BETTE DAVIS has been placed under suspension by her studio, following her refusal to play in "Woman and God's Country."

She claims she has a right to work for other studios when her own company have no work for her. Her employers (Warner's) disagree.

Her friends declare she is anxious to get her best pictures finished before next spring, when she plans motherhood and retirement.

Her husband is Harmon O. Nelson, dance band leader. She owes her first screen chance to George Arliss, who chose her as his leading lady in "The Silent Voice."

JAPAN CHARTS WIDER SPHERE IN SOUTH SEAS

Outlet for Population and New Source of Raw Materials Wanted

Tokyo, July 29.

Japan's Southward policy or more properly its South Seas policy, intended to furnish an outlet for the population congestion and provide a new source of raw materials, will necessitate readjustment of relations with Great Britain, Holland and a full settlement of the Davao question in the Philippines, in the opinion of the Tokyo newspaper, *Nichi Nichi*.

Analysis of the policy was made when the Diet closed its brief session.

It is predicted that some friction with Holland and Britain may result but nothing serious is expected since Japan seeks no new territory, according to *Nichi Nichi*.

It was emphasised in the last Diet session that the South Seas is the only practicable area for the solution of the population question and the problem of raw materials. Hence great effort will be made to get the plans in order at an early date.

Japan's vested rights in the South Seas, meaning the mandated islands and those which Japan owned before the World War must be readjusted and consolidated, commercial interests believe.

NAVY CREATES NEW SECTION

In the usual indirect manner the southward policy was discussed for months. The Navy established a southern section and it was announced that the Foreign Office would do the same. Still nobody explained the situation until the Diet closed.

Then the objectives were revealed and it was explained that the southward advance would be peaceful, reasonable and vigorous.

The policy in brief is explained by a *Nichi Nichi* writer as follows:

1. Development of fuel and other national defence resources.
2. Acquirement of cotton, lumber and other industrial resources.
3. Emigration for colonization.
4. Development of markets for Japanese goods.
5. Development of marine industrial resources.

PEACEFUL ADVANCE STRESSED

"It is emphasised that Japan makes it her first aim to make a peaceful advance and that she entertains no territorial or political ambitions as are feared in some quarters," the writer said.

"A commission will be created embracing the Formosan Development, the South Seas Development, South Seas Exploitation Society, South Seas Society, Philippines Society, South Seas Research Institute, and oversees private organizations.

"With the commission functioning a big advance will be made by official and private Japan toward realization of the southward policy.

"As the southward policy advances, Japan will have friction with Great Britain and Holland. Much emphasis is placed on readjustment of Japan's relations with these countries and protection of the vested rights and interest of the Japanese in the South Seas. In seeking to solve the Philippine Davao land issue, Dutch-Japanese and Australian-Japanese trade negotiations, full consideration will be given the broader phases just outlined."—*United Press.*

NEW STAR IN THE CONSTELLATION OF CEPHEUS

Moscow, July 21.

A new star of the fifth magnitude in the constellation of Cepheus was discovered on June 18th. by Guryev, an astronomer of the Stalinabad Observatory.

During the night of June 20th., this star could be seen in Moscow through the clouds. According to the observations, the luminosity of the star has increased to the 2.5 magnitude, and is equal to the brightness of the stars of the Big Bear constellations. The new star is located 1 degree to the south of the star Epsilon in the constellation of Cepheus.—*Tass.*

86 Claims For Broken Ribs

INSURANCE FRAUD PLOT ALLEGED

A remarkable story told at Leeds recently, when summonses were heard against 17 men and women alleging conspiracy to defraud insurance companies in connection with insurance schemes covering the following newspapers: *News of the World, People, Daily Mirror, Daily Mail, Daily Dispatch, Daily Sketch, News-Chronicle, Empire News, Daily Express, Sunday Express,* and *Daily Herald.*

Mr. Donald Kaberry, prosecuting, said insurance assessors in London became suspicious when a number of people in the York-road and Holbeck districts of Leeds appeared to be suffering from accidents in which they were receiving broken ribs caused in all cases by being knocked down by bicycles.

"There had been a perfect epidemic, apparently, of broken ribs in these areas," said Mr. Kaberry.

In the period covered by the summonses, he continued, the defendants, it was alleged, had put in 86 fraudulent claims on newspapers, and payment had been made in every case to a total of £430. Yet not one of the defendants had ever sustained a broken rib by being knocked down by a bicycle.

MAKING A CLAIM

The method was this: An agreement had been made to claim against one or other of the newspapers, one of the persons being registered. As soon as possible an accident was arranged.

In other cases the name and address of another person had been given, and the defendant concerned would tell that person he had used his name as he expected a letter containing racing information, and asked that the letter be handed to him.

"The great obstacle," continued Mr. Kaberry, "was when it became necessary, in order to substantiate the bogus claim, to have a medical certificate.

"One defendant would attend the outpatients' department at Leeds General Infirmary, having bruised his or her ribs deliberately. He would complain of having been knocked down by a bicycle and when examined would wince as if in pain.

"As a rule, the ribs were strapped up and an out-patients' card was given.

"When a medical certificate was required, the defendant would take the out-patient's card to his or her panel doctor.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES

"It was extraordinary that in every case except one the doctor visited had been deceived, and had given a certificate that he had examined the patient and was satisfied he or she was suffering from the injuries alleged, the result of a street accident.

"Upon that, of course, the insurance companies had no alternative but to pay.

Dr. McCambridge, of Victoria House, Dewsbury-road, Leeds, stated that a woman he recognised as a defendant visited him and produced an infirmary card giving a diagnosis of fractured ribs. She had adhesive plaster over her ribs, and simulated the symptoms. As a result of his examination and of the infirmary card, he was satisfied she was so suffering and gave a certificate.

The prosecutors were: The Eagle, Star and British Dominions Insurance Co., Ltd., the Guildhall Insurance Company the General Accident Insurance Co., Ltd., the Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd., and a number of Lloyd's underwriters.

On a charge of conspiring to defraud the Eagle, Star and British Dominions Company three men and a woman were committed to the Assizes for trial. A number of other defendants were committed for trial, and the hearing of the charges against the remainder was adjourned.

1936 Challenge To Bible Story

EDITOR WHO PUBLISHED IT OFFERS TO RESIGN

An article which he published in the Palestine Exploration Fund's official journal, which was said to cast doubt on the truth of the Bible story of the fall of Jericho, led to Professor S. H. Hooke, the editor, offering to resign at a recent meeting of the Fund.

The controversy arose when the adoption of the report was being considered. Mr. W. C. Edwards rose to call attention to the following passage in the "Quarterly Statement":

Biblical criticism has called attention to the legendary nature of the account of the taking of Jericho. It is clear that these accounts are intended to furnish a ritual justification for the taking possession of the site. On the other hand, the results of the excavations at Jericho have led many Biblical students to admit that this city was already destroyed when the Israelites appeared before it.

"I beg to protest most strongly against the tone of that article, and I hope it will not be repeated," Mr. Edwards said.

When Professor Hooke got up to reply he said he felt somewhat in the position of Mr. Anthony Eden—something like a man who had been charged with treason to a cause for which he still had the most devout affection and admiration.

The paragraph which Mr. Edwards had read was a quotation from an eminent French scholar and archaeologist, Professor Dussaud.

He inserted it to draw replies from people who were interested in the subject, and he himself did not agree with the Professor's remarks.

CHAMPION EAGLE TRAPPER

LIVE FOWLS THE DECOY

If he does not kill the eagles they will kill his lambs. This is the working theory of Mr. W. H. Swain, champion eagle trapper of New South Wales. Last year's bag was 400 and his total for the last three years, nearly 800. Some of his victims measured 8 ft. or more from wing tip to tip. They belonged to the wedgetailed type, the largest species.

As decoy, states *Austral News*, he uses a few white fowls confined in a wire-netted coup in an open paddock. A captured eagle is tethered nearby and around the coup are set a number of rabbit traps. Serving as an irresistible attraction to the long visioned eagle the fowls lure him to the trap.

A Very Weighty And Remote Subject

Pasadena (California), July 28.

A star so dense that every cubic inch of it must weigh a ton has been discovered by astronomers at Mount Wilson observatory. The star, known as Ross 627, is said to be 210,000,000,000,000 miles from the earth.—*Reuter.*

Saved From Death By Robot Breather

MR. JOHN MORROW, of Colney Hatch-lane, Muswell Hill, N., who three months ago was paralysed in his arms and legs and was believed to have only a few days to live, is to-day well on the way to recovery.

Two days after being taken ill he was admitted to the Royal Northern Hospital, Hooloway, and placed for 21 days in a Drinker respirator, which had been brought by road from Manchester.

The apparatus, operated by electricity and containing compressed air, set up a respiratory action forcing him to breathe when he had not the strength otherwise to do so.

"But for the machine I should almost certainly have died," Mr. Morrow, who has already returned home, told a reporter.

FIFTY MURDERS IN TEN YEARS LAID TO INSURANCE POISON PLOT

Springfield, Mass., July 20.

Investigators for New York and Boston insurance companies ordered cancellation of more than a score of life insurance policies as they and police found indications that 50 deaths of the last 10 years were murders committed for insurance money.

Detectives at Ludlow said they believed the investigation had saved two men, marked as the poison-killers' next victims. Both, whom authorities refused to name, are unemployed but have insurance policies.

The plot against them, Ludlow police said, was to encourage them inaddictions to drink until the opportunity arose to poison them in such a way that death would appear to be of acute alcoholism. Investigators were deeply secretive about the purported discovery.

Investigators particularly sought today to question beneficiaries of life insurance policies paid in the last decade who were unrelated to the insured person. Where the beneficiary named was found not to have a "legitimate" interest in the policy holder's life, policies were cancelled. —*United Press.*

"TAILS" UNAESTHETIC

Rome, July 20.

Italian waiters will no longer wear evening dress—except in "luxury" restaurants.

A new contract has been drawn up by the National Federation of the Tourist and Catering Industries making a black or white tunic the standard wear.

"'Tail coats' for waiters are unaesthetic, unhygienic and un-Italian," says the *Tribuna.*"—Reuter.

RADIO BROADCAST

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7 p.m.-12 midnight. European Programme.

7 p.m. "In a Fairy Realm Suite" (Ketelbey).

7.13 p.m. Vocal Gems from Light Opera.

The Quaker Girl; The Chocolate Soldier.

7.30 p.m. New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Jewels of the Madonna Intermezzo (Ferrari); Spring Song (Mendelssohn); Narcissus (Nevin); Salut d'Amour (Elgar); Jazz Nocturne ("My Silent Love") (Suesse); Buffoon (Confrey); Policeman's Holiday (Ewing); Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jessel).

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. A Variety Programme.

Pianoforte Solos—Gershwin Medley ...Renara; Vocal—Headin' Home... The Hill Billies; Band—Song of the Lift; Vocal Duet—You have that extra something.....Phyllis Stanley and Arthur Riscoe; Band—Accordeon Nights Medley; Vocal—I Heard..... The Four Crochets; Songs—Swing; Me and my Dog....Frances Day (Soprano); Organ Solos—Famous Tauber Melodies....Harold Ramsey; Instrumental—Hilo Hanakahi; On the Beach of Waikiki....Waikiki Stone-Wall Boys; Song—West Wind..... Turner Layoin; Xylophone Solo—Joey the Clown....Rudy Starita; Song—Let's face the Music and Dance.... Sam Browne with the Rhythm Sisters; Piano Solos—The Charm School—Selection; To Beat the Band—Selection.....Carroll Gibbons.

9 p.m. A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletin and Announcements. (Copyright by *Reuter*).

9.20 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.

Cricket: Surrey v. Notts at the Oval, London. A commentary by C. B. Fry.

9.35 p.m. A Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Grill Room.

10 p.m. Big Ben from Daventry.

11.45 p.m. A Relay from Daventry.

The Olympic Games: a description of the opening ceremony from the Olympic Stadium, Berlin.

12.15 a.m. News Bulletin and Announcements.

12.30 a.m. Close Down.

Note:—There will be a Chinese recorded programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles, from 8-10.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW'S BROADCAST

Relay of Service From St. Joseph's Church

RECORDED PROGRAMME

10-11 a.m. A Relay of the Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.

11 a.m.-12.15 p.m. A Relay of the Morning Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15-2.30 p.m. European recorded Programme.

12.15 p.m. The London Symphony Orchestra.

Overture in D Minor (Handel, arr. Elgar); May Night Overture (Rimsky-Korsakov); Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 1 (Elgar); Triumphal March ("Caractacus") (Op. 35, Elgar).

12.40 p.m. Excerpts from "In a Persian Garden" (Liza Lehmann).

1 p.m. Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. A Pianoforte Recital by Wilhelm Backhaus.

1. (a) Waltz in D flat, Op. 64 No. 1; (b) Etude in C Major, Op. 10, No. 7, Chopin; 2. Waldesrauschen (Liszt); 3. Military March in E flat (Schubert); 4. Triana ("Iberia") (Albeniz).

1.20 p.m. Selection "The Beggar's Opera."

1.30 p.m. *Reuter* Press Bulletins, Weather forecast, time, announcements.

1.30 p.m. De Groot and his Orchestra.

Fantasia on Scottish Airs (arr. Mulder); Waldteufel Memories (arr. Finck); Louise—Selection (Charpentier); Samson and Delilah—Selection (Saint-Saens).

2 p.m. Don Cossacks Choir.

Evening Bells (arr. Serge Jaroff); Serenade (Abt); March Prince Oleg (arr. Jaroff).

2.13 p.m. Memories of Mozart and Chopin.

2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European Programme.

7 p.m. "Petite Suite de Concert" (Coleridge-Taylor) played by the London Symphony Orchestra.

1. La Caprice de Nanette; 2. Demande et reponse; 3. Un sonnet d'Amour; 4. La Tarantelle fretillante.

7.17 p.m. A Programme from Act I "Tosca" (Puccini); by Soloists and Orchestra, of La Scala, Milan.

Ah! I have baulked them; Strange Harmony; Excellency I'm going; Dost thou not long for our cottage secluded?; No eyes on earth; Go, why should I hurry?; The Cannon of the fortress.

7.45 p.m. Viennese Waltzes.

Blonde or Brunette (Waldteufel); Tales of Autumn (Waldteufel); Morning Papers (J. Strauss); Du Und Du ("Die Fledermaus") (J. Strauss).

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. "Brandenburg Concerto No. 5 in D Major" (Bach) played by Cortot (Piano); Thibaud (Violin) and Cortot (Flute).

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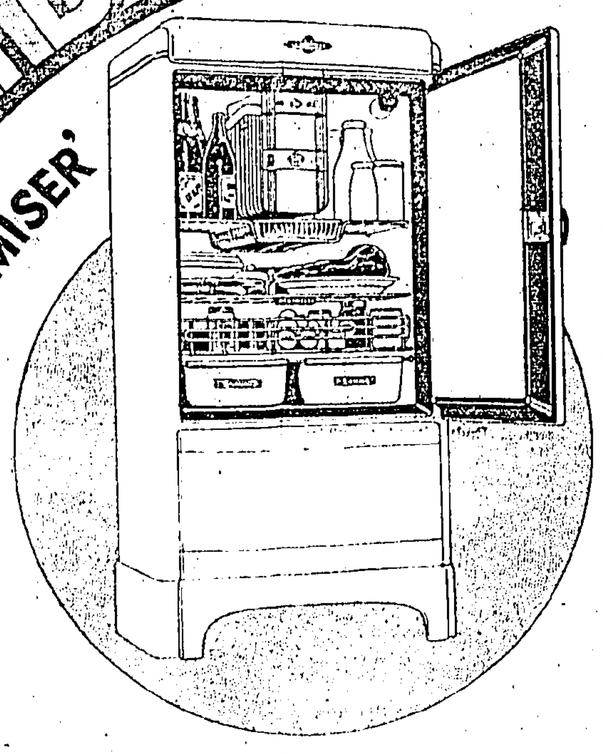
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BERNARD SHAW'S SECRET LOVE

DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM MORRIS

RAN AWAY FROM HIS "MYSTIC BETROTHAL"

TO-DAY Mr. Bernard Shaw tells the story of his "mystic betrothal," when he was a poor and unsuccessful young man, to the daughter of William Morris.

In a characteristic preface to "William Morris, Artist, Writer, Socialist" (two vols.: published to-day by Blackwell, 52s. 6d.) by the daughter, May Morris, he writes of the time when Morris and he were fellow Socialist agitators:

"Now it happened that among the many beautiful things in Morris's two beautiful houses was a very beautiful daughter, then in the flower of her youth.

"I was a bachelor then, and likely to remain so....I was so poor that I could hardly have supported Morris's daughter for a week on my income for a year...

NO WORD OF LOVE

"One Sunday evening, after lecturing and supping, I was on the threshold of the Hammersmith house when I turned to make my farewell, and at this moment she came from the dining-room into the hall.

"I looked at her, rejoicing in her lovely dress and lovely self; and she looked at me very carefully and quite deliberately made a gesture of assent with her eyes.

"I was immediately conscious that a Mystic Betrothal was registered in Heaven, to be fulfilled when all the material obstacles should melt away."

Mr. Shaw goes on cheerfully to observe that he "did not think it necessary to say anything" because his own fortunes were certain to be made soon, since "subconsciously I had no doubt of my rank as a genius."

Besides, it would have been impossible for "a comrade-Communist" to commit Morris's daughter to "a desperately insolvent marriage."

"BREACH OF FAITH"

So "I made no sign at all: I had no doubt that the thing was written on the skies for both of us.

"Suddenly, to my utter stupefaction, and I suspect to that of Morris also, the beautiful daughter married one of the comrades."

This, admits Mr. Shaw gaily, was "entirely my own fault for taking the Mystical Betrothal for granted; but I regarded it, and still regard it in spite of all reason, as the most monstrous breach of faith in the history of romance."

But this was not the end. The young Shaw, suffering from overwork, was invited to stay for a holiday with the young couple.

"I VANISHED"

"Everything went well for a time in that *menage a trois* . . . But the violated Betrothal was avenging itself....Her legal marriage had dissolved as all illusions do, and the mystic marriage asserted itself irresistibly. I had to consummate it or vanish."

It was evident, apparently, that "the Betrothal" would not suffer the *menage a trois* to be an innocent arrangement; and a scandal would damage not only them but the Cause.

"The more I reasoned about the situation the worse it was doomed to appear. So I did not argue about it. I vanished."

THE OLD SPELL

And the husband vanished too! What caused the rupture Mr. Shaw does not know, but there was a divorce and "the beautiful one abolished him root and branch," resuming her famous maiden name.

Forty years later Mr. Shaw was motoring through Gloucester when "the spell of Kelmscott Manor came upon me." The door was thrown open to him "as if I had been away for ten minutes or so; and presently the beautiful daughter and I, now harmless old folks, met again as if nothing had happened."

KING GEORGE'S LAST GIFT

£20,000 FOR HOSPITAL FUNDS

One of the last acts of King George was to make a donation of £20,000 to King Edward's Hospital Fund.

This was announced by the Duke of York when presiding at a meeting of the Council of the Fund at St. James's Palace.

The Duke of York read a message from the King, in which he said that he would continue to take a close interest in the work over which he had presided for sixteen years. He was happy to know that his brother would succeed him in the office.

The last distribution came to £125,000, including £120,000 in special grants to commemorate the late King's Jubilee.

Executed After Two Confessions

FREDERICK HERBERT CHARLES FIELD, the 32-year-old aircraftsman who confessed to two murders and withdrew both confessions, was hanged at Wandsworth Prison last month for the murder of Mrs. Beatrice Sutton on April 4.

A woman in a motor-car addressed a crowd of about 200 on the pavement opposite the prison. A minute before nine o'clock she said "Take off your hats, you men. Have you no respect for death at all?"

A voice.—"Go home. How would you like your sister strangled?"

Few of the men responded to her appeal to remove their hats.

Among the crowd outside the prison were the sister of the dead woman and a number of her friends.

CONTEMPLATING SUICIDE

Field had declared that he murdered Mrs. Sutton to "put himself on the spot," as he was contemplating suicide but "could not bring himself to do the act."

One passage from the repudiated confession was:

"I had never seen the woman before in my life, and had not the least ill intentions towards her. . . . I just murdered her because I wanted to murder someone."

Mrs. Sutton was murdered at her flat in Clapham.

A girl called Nora Upchurch was found dead in an empty shop in Shaftesbury-avenue on September 26, 1931.

Field, a married man with a young daughter, confessed to both crimes, and in each case later withdrew his confession.

In the case of Norah Upchurch, even his detailed statements could not be sufficiently corroborated to secure his conviction at the Old Bailey.

By his second confession he set afoot inquiries which led to conviction.

SENT TO SHOP

One of the features in the murder of Norah Upchurch was that the discovery of her body was made by Field himself and the manager of the firm which employed him.

Field was sent to the shop where the crime was committed to remove some signs.

When inquiries were begun, Field gave a description of the man to whom he said he had given the keys of the shop.

Later he identified a man in the custody of the police, but this man was able to clear himself with an alibi.

Then on July 15, 1933, Field walked into Marlborough-street Police Station and said that he wished to confess to the murder.

At the Old Bailey, however, Field repudiated his confession.

His "confession," he said, was made in order to force a trial and clear his name from the suspicion which had remained ever since the inquest.

Mr. Justice Swift tried the case. He pointed out to the jury that, except for this confession, there was no evidence against Field. A verdict of Not Guilty was returned.

JOINED R.A.F.

Field then joined the R.A.F. as a store-keeper, but on March 24 this year he deserted.

On April 1 Mrs. Beatrice Sutton, who was 48, was found dead on her bed at her flat in Edgeley-road Clapham. There were no signs of a struggle.

It was thought that her death was a natural one until a post-mortem examination revealed that she was the victim of a disease which would cause her death if only slight pressure were applied to her throat.

The examination showed that, in fact, she had been strangled.

IN CUSTODY

At that time Field was in the custody of the R.A.F. authorities at Hendon in connection with some missing cheques, and in relation to this was seen by a police inspector.

To the inspector Field made a confession.

"I was fed up with being short of money," he said, "so I thought I would get what dough I could and do myself in, but when it came to the time I hadn't the guts, so I thought I would stick myself in the position where somebody else would do it. I went to her place and done her in, and, as you might say, put myself on the spot."

Once again Frederick Field appeared at the Old Bailey on a charge of murder, and once again he repudiated the confession he had made.

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The lesson is taken to heart. Drivers are shocked at the possibility of having run over a youngster. Injuries involving the firm's drivers have fallen by 73 per cent. since "Jerry" appeared.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOUR POCKET IS PICKED

From a Special Correspondent

HAVING your pocket picked is a misfortune that may happen to anyone in Hongkong. Pickpockets are specially busy just now.

It happened to me a day or two ago, and I have just seen the whole affair wound up. As a specimen adventure, the story may be useful.

Loss discovered, 2.20 p.m. Saturday, Chater Road. Due to join party at 2.30 and wanting small change, put hand in inside pocket to get note to buy cigar with. *Shock—pocket empty.* Rapid turnout of other pockets; no luck. Storm of mixed emotions—dismay, humiliation at being "done" after Hongkong lifetime of immunity, astonishment at cleverness of thief.

Loss: not much money ($12 in notes), 3 crossed cheques total $175, various oddments in pocket-book, including monthly pass for Star Ferry. Plenty of time to stop cheques, banks having closed at 1. Other contents of pocket unknown.

Not wishing to cast gloom on party, join it and say nothing till after. Regarded as hero on strength of brief unconscious contact with crookdom.

5.30.—*Report loss to Police.* Police officer suggests pocket-book dropped or mislaid. Absurd; spent whole morning in office. Only possible explanation, theft at Star Ferry, where I may have been jostled in crowd. But no recollection of being "jostled." Police insist on writing it down "loss."

Next (Sunday) morning: Needing to refer to passport, suddenly remember had it in inside pocket day before. Stolen with pocket-book. Panic.

Ring up Police. C.I.D. much concerned: Instruct me report to Passport Office.

Miserable day: Remember passport photograph shows criminal type of face, very adaptable for "crook" use.

STOPPING CHEQUES

Monday morning: *Telephone all round stopping cheques. Report theft at Passport Office.* Consternation of officials. Fear sleepless night by Colonial Secretary. I dilate on urgency of business abroad: officials, impressed, promise to do best. Instructed call next day.

Tuesday morning Passport Office again. Searching cross-examination in private room by courteous official who says what hot weather. Official, finally convinced here is Englishman without guile, grants new passport. Away happy.

Wednesday morning: *Postman delivers large "Returned Letter Office" envelope containing missing pocket-book and passport*, with printed note "This enclosure has been found loose in Post Office." All contents of pocket-book intact except notes. Thief evidently, after taking them, pushed rest into pillar-box. Joy. Telephone Passport Office, Police and cheque-drawers. Post back cancelled passport: by later post, receive new cheques for old.

Affair satisfactorily wound up. Remarkable example of efficiency on everyone's part, *especially me and thief.*

COURT OFFER BY DOCTOR TURNED DOWN

AN offer by a doctor to exhibit specimens of brains in court was declined in the King's Bench recently.

Mr. Justice Swift and a special jury were hearing evidence regarding a man's state of mind when he took his life.

Dr. Gordon M. Holmes, senior physician at Charing Cross Hospital and president of the International Neurological Congress, said in his opinion the man when he took his life was not suffering from general paralysis. He added:

"I have brought in my bag two specimens, one of a brain of a man who died in the early stages of general paralysis and the other part of the brain of a normal person with no disease. I can exhibit them if you wish."

"You won't mind me, I am sure, if I don't ask you to open your bag" replied Sir William Jowitt, K. C., counsel in the case, after glancing at judge and the jury.

HOSPITAL DONATION BY MR. AW BOON HAW

SAID TO HAVE BEEN MISAPPROPRIATED

Two Men On Trial In Nanking

FUNDS of the Central Hospital in Nanking donated by Mr. Aw Boon Haw, the wealthy Singapore merchant, are alleged to have been misappropriated. The trial began in Nanking recently of Tao Shi Chi and Wu Kang Ming, co-defendants with Liu Jui Hang, who is missing.

Outlining the case, the Attorney-General said that the defendants had misappropriated funds entrusted to them by the Central Hospital.

Liu Jui Hang, it was alleged, had also misappropriated funds of the Sanitary Bureau.

Tao Shi Chi said that the Central Hospital was financed by Mr. Aw Boon Haw's donations, and that deficits were covered by funds borrowed from the Sanitary Bureau.

Out of this borrowed money, Tao continued, a certain unspecified sum was allocated for the patients. The case is continuing.

Girl, Tied To Dead Man, Found By Lake

Berlin, July 21.

A girl, bound back-to-back with a dead man, was found moaning on the borders of Hohenschonhausen Lake, near Berlin, at midnight last night, by a young woman on her way home. She dragged the couple ashore, called for help.

The man was identified as twenty-six-year-old August Reinhardt, of Berlin.

The girl, now in hospital, confessed that she made a suicide pact with Reinhardt, but she would not say who she was.

He-Man Of 99 Is Left In The Lurch

New York, July 21.

CHARLIE EANNETTE discovered to-day that "it's never too late to be left in the lurch."

He is ninety-nine: lives at Old Forga, New York.

Charlie arrived at the church to-day for his wedding to widow Ella Manning.

As he awaited her, he confided to his friends:

"A he-man is not too old to marry until he's a hundred."

An hour passed. Inquiries were made.

Charlie was told he had been jilted—that Mrs. Manning had left Old Forga.

"Ah, well," he said, "perhaps we were not suited for each other. It may be all for the best."

Then he sat down with the bridesmaids and groomsmen at the breakfast table.

He nodded towards the one empty chair.

"Likely I'll find some other use for the ring," he said.

GIRL FOR WHOM THREE MEN WERE DROWNED

Jeers and catcalls from a crowd of waiting women greeted Miss Eileen West, aged 22, of Upper Tooting, S. W., as with head bowed she drove off in her motor car after the inquest on three men who were drowned when they went to her rescue when she was bathing.

"She doesn't care about the men who drowned for her", one woman shouted. Miss West said, "I am not callous. The fact is I did not know anyone had been drowned until yesterday morning".

"I am terribly distressed about the whole affair, and I was very shocked at the attitude of the women after the inquest.

"They had no right to jeer at me. There are no notices on the beach warning bathers of the danger, and being a strong swimmer, I took it for granted I would be safe.

"It is terrible now to realise that my mistake cost three brave men their lives, but it is worse to think that I am blamed for it as though I deliberately killed them."

At the inquest Miss West had collapsed in her chair and sobbed bitterly while she listened to a heated protest by Mr. Isaac Edwards, who, as the father of one of the men, had given evidence.

"I saw a man bring the girl ashore", said Mr. Edwards. "A few minutes after she said, 'I am alright', got up and walked away.

"Three lives were lost for one girl and she never said "thank you" to anybody and never apologised to anyone for losing their lives."

The Deputy Coroner Colonel F. S. Toogood: "She must have been very upset at the time"

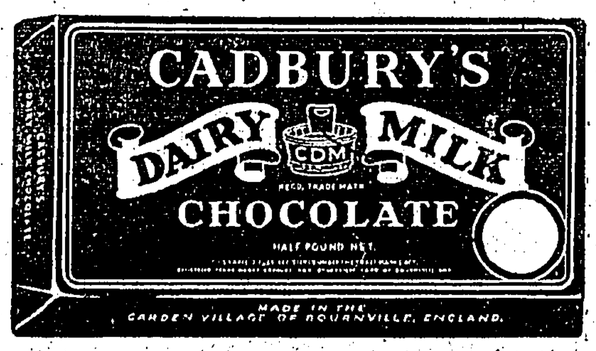
Mr. D. F. Nash, for Miss West, pointed out that when she was brought ashore she was very distressed. "She had no idea that anyone had been drowned", he said. "If she had been so callous as Mr. Edwards says she would have been deserving of his strictures, but this is not the case. She is very appreciative of the efforts which resulted in her life being saved".

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

The jury added a rider advocating that warning notices and life-saving apparatus should be provided at the scene of the tragedy, Whitsand Bay, near Tregantle.

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COUNTY CRICKET

ASHDOWN'S FIFTH CENTURY

London, July 31.

Although three county cricket matches were left drawn to-day, they were featured by several notable performances with bat and ball.

Mercer, the Glamorgan bowler, for example, took all ten wickets in Worcestershire's first innings, thereby joining the select band of first-class cricketers to achieve this performance.

His ten wickets cost 51 runs and Worcestershire were all out for 143.

Playing for Kent against Notts, Bill Ashdown, opening batsman, chalked up his fifth century of the season, helping himself to 101 at the expense of Larwood and Co.

Kent were very unlucky to be deprived of the full fruits of victory. They outplayed Notts from the start, scoring 415 in their first innings and 143 in the second. To this Notts replied with 283 and 181 for 9, being still 94 runs in arrears when stumps were drawn with only one wicket in hand.

Apart from Ashdown's century and F. G. H. Chalk's 83 for Kent and Timms' 97 not out for Northants, batsmen did not figure to pronouncedly as bowlers.

In addition to Mercer's great effort, fine bowling figures were returned by Larwood of Notts (6 for 64), Wright of Kent (6 for 72), Tate of Sussex (5 for 60) and Partridge of Northants (7 for 78).

RESULTS IN DETAIL

The results and individual performances as cabled by *Reuter* were as follows:

Glamorgan (154 and 46/1) beat Worcestershire (143 and 163/5 dec.) on first innings.

Kent (415 and 143) beat Notts (283 and 181/9) on first innings.

Sussex (231) beat Northants (169 and 105/5) on first innings.

BATTING

Ashdown (Kent) v. Notts	101
Timms (Northants) v. Sussex	97*
F. G. H. Chalk (Kent) v. Notts	83

* indicates not out.

BOWLING

Mercer (Glamorgan) v. Worcestershire	10 for 51
Partridge (Northants) v. Sussex	7 for 78
Larwood (Notts) v. Kent	6 for 64
Wright (Kent) v. Notts	6 for 72
Tate (Sussex) v. Northants	5 for 60

MERCER'S RECORD FOR GLAMORGAN

Recalls Past Bowling Feats

Mercer, who yesterday took all ten Worcestershire wickets in one innings for 51 runs, accomplished this feat for the first time in his career. Incidentally he is the first Glamorganshire bowler with this performance to his credit.

Glamorgan has twice been dismissed in an innings by one bowler. Goddard, playing for Derby, bowled them in 1921, taking 10 for 40 in 19 overs. In 1929 Geary of Leicestershire sent back the Glamorgan team for 18 runs in 16.2 overs, eight of which were maiden.

Wisden's notes that the taking of all ten wickets in an innings has been performed 17 times before, dating from 1843, when Clarke of Nottinghamshire dismissed Leicestershire at Nottingham. The last recorded occasion of an Englishman doing this was in 1932, when Verity took ten wickets for ten runs against Notts. He bowled 19.4 overs, 16 of which were maidens.



Ashdown of Kent, scored another century yesterday.

LEAGUE TENNIS

C.R.C. BEATS RECREIO

MIXED DOUBLES ENCOUNTER

Chinese Recreation Club yesterday consolidated their position as leaders of the mixed doubles tennis league by visiting Club de Recreio and beating the Portuguese by 7½ sets to 1½.

W. C. Hung and Mrs. Litton won all three sets, while Lai Kwong-tsun, making his first appearance of the season in local league tennis, played with Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu and won two sets out of three.

A. V. Gosano and Miss Botelho beat this couple.

Tsui Yun-pui and Miss Rose Perry had to rest content with two and a half sets.

Amended league table follows.

LEAGUE TABLE

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	4	4	0	0	30½	5½	8
U.S.R.C.	5	4	0	1	28	14	8
K.C.C. (1)	3	0	2	1	18	9	4
Recreio	5	1	1	3	13½	28½	3
K.C.C. (2)	7	0	1	6	15	48	1

Our Daily Golf Hint

For shots less than full the club should be grasped further down the shaft in correspondent ratio to the distance desired.

J. Lardner

PLAA BEATS TILDEN

Players' Dispute: Onlookers Protest

Marcel Plaa (France) beat W. T. Tilden (U.S.A.) 5—7, 7—5, 6—2, 3—6, 6—4 in the professional lawn tennis tournament at Southport. The match lasted 2¾ hours. Tilden has now lost all further interest in the singles event.

The match was full of unusual incidents. First, play was interrupted by the chatter of a small child, whose mother eventually had to escort it out of the stadium. Later both players disagreed with linesmen's decisions, and when the match was halfway through there was a dispute as to when the new balls should be used.

Finally it was found that the old balls had been used in one game too many and Tilden insisted that they should be used for one more until Plaa had finished serving.

During the reckoning of the games spectators voiced their protest at the stoppage, and the umpire had to make repeated calls for silence.

Other second round winners were Robert Ramillon (France), who defeated Edmund Burke (Ireland) 7—9, 6—0, 6—1, 6—3, and Hans Nusslein (Germany), who beat Albert Burke (Ireland) 6—1, 6—2, 6—2.

In a doubles match Ramillon and Henri Cochet (France) beat Plaa and Alfred Estrabeau (France) 6—3, 6—3, 6—1.

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VARSITY CRICKET

HOW CAMBRIDGE BEAT OXFORD

ON TOP ALL THE TIME DESPITE MAGNIFICENT INNINGS BY MITCHELL-INNES

(By R. C. Robertson-Glasgow)

London, July. 9.

Cambridge won the University match by 8 wickets, and they deserved to do so. In every way Oxford were outplayed. Wooller, Jahanger, and Brocklebank did their work properly. Most of all I was suspriscd at Wooller's speed yesterday morning.

Much depended on Mitchell-Innes, who, after adding 5 to his overnight total, tried to cut Jahangir for 4, and, playing just too late, was caught at slip. This was, in its way, the end of the match.

Belle drove Brocklebank for 4 to the off boundary, but Grover, on whom much depended, cut at Jahangir unwisely and was caught at the wicket. Oxford now were strongly and plainly worried. Then Belle was stumped off Brocklebank, and one wondered whether the match could last till luncheon.

Walford began with two 4's off Brocklebank, both to square-leg. Then he tried too much, and was l b w, playing round the corner to a good-length leg break. Murray-Wood played for some time for nought, and Singleton joined Seamer in an unlikely cause. Singleton was caught in the gully trying to drive Brocklebank. Then Matthews (were he Wooller for 1, like one who knows that hope has gone. So luncheon came, with Oxford still one behind.

The interval was prolonged by three minutes, following which Dyson and Seamer batted as if they were opening the innings; but Seamer was bowled round his legs, and the innings thus closed.

St. Cambridge needed just 17 runs to win, Mitchell-Innes removed White's off-stump, and Darwell-Smith top-ed Nelson's. But Cambridge had won and easily.

GRAND INNINGS BY CAPTAIN

Oxford, with nine wickets to fall in their second innings, fell short of Cambridge by 102 runs. But in those nine wickets was contained Mitchell-Innes, 79 not out; that score had been made out of a total of 121.

I doubt whether any University captain has, during one day, sustained so severe a burden with such remarkable success. Cambridge, having in the end set the Oxford bowling quite at nought, had compiled a match-winning score.

So few realise what it is to bat with no hope of victory but just with the faint idea of a draw.

And in their first innings Oxford failed; not numerically, but ethically. Some doubt whether Bartlett should have enforced the follow-on. I think that he was right. It took his side into the field for the second time at about 4.45. He knew, and Mitchell-Innes knew, that if—as seemed probable—four or five wickets should fall before the close of play (seven o'clock), the match was almost won, apart from rain or miracles.

And here again we come to Mitchell-Innes, who, in spite of his regard for Cameron, played Oxford well, into the third day. He had the will, the technique, and the reward of both.

DECLARATION

Bartlett declared at the overnight total, and Mitchell-Innes and Barton went out to play against Wooller (Pavilion end) and Jahangir. The weather was oppressive, the sun refusing to attend fully to the scene. The bowling of Cambridge was excellent; often the ball lifted off a pitch moist from dew, and the bowlers noticed it. So did those spectators who came to see cricket. At 4 Barton played back and late to Jahangir, and was bowled.

Belle had an awkward beginning, especially to Wooller, who hit his legs so often that one longed even for a snick or a remote echo of wood.

But Belle, a fine batsman in the making, is not deterred by such peculiarities, and he hit both bowlers to extra-cover, three each time. Meanwhile, Mitchell-Innes had turned Jahangir to long-leg for four, and survived an appeal for l.b.w. from Wooller, who was bowling very well indeed.

Brocklebank then came on at the Nursery end, and had the support of Jahangir, then Cameron, at that end, where earlier matches are discussed. Brocklebank at once showed that the leg break, bowled to a length at medium pace, is a very dangerous thing. He had a day of success. Mitchell-Innes drove Cameron for a lovely four past cover, then hit him high to the long-on boundary. Belle cut Brocklebank for four, disturbing the pipeons and causing a fair spectator to ask whether Oxford or Cambridge were batting.

ALTERED MATCH

Jahangir returned for Brocklebank. But Cameron altered the match just before lunch, persuading Mitchell-Innes into a stroke that ended in a caught and bowled.

At lunch the total was 85 for 2 wickets.

After lunch Brocklebank and Cameron (Pavilion end) bowled. Grover, after some pleasant strokes, was grandly caught on the leg boundary off a full toss. Oh! Lucky Cambridge. Or was it by design?

Cameron appealed against Seamer, an old friend, first ball, for l.b.w. It was also turned down. Belle hit Cameron past cover for four, but when two short of his fifty was stumped off a good leg-break from Brocklebank. Gibb's wicket-keeping was very fine throughout the day.

Walford came in, and some rain fell—not for long. Seamer, on the resumption, batted stubbornly, with a proper sense of the situation, which was awkward. At 120 Jahangir came on for Cameron, and once beat Seamer with one that lifted and almost expressed itself in words.

Cameron, at 141, relieved Brocklebank, and at 149 Seamer was adjudged l b w.

Sc. Murray-Wood joined Walford, who cheered the newcomer with a four off the back foot from Cameron, in vain; for Murray-Wood played back to Jahangir and was l b w 157

6 0 He need not be discouraged. Much time and many runs are to come.

At a quarter to four Singleton came in, the proper man for the purpose. For Cambridge bowling and fielding were now of the best, purposeful and militant. Walford abandoned defence, and hit Cameron for 11 runs in 3 strokes. Singleton also played a two pace cover.

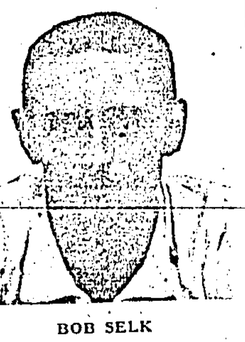
At 171 Brocklebank came on again. He found both a length and an interesting spot, and, with two leg-breaks pitched to a perfect length, had both Walford and Matthews caught in the gully.

Dyson joined Singleton, who at once played some strokes that must have both surprised and annoyed the bowlers. At 183 Dyson was caught, quickly, at extra-cover, trying a drive. He reacted like a proconsul who is elated with office.

Darwell-Smith, a good batsman for so lowly a position, sent up the 200 with a boundary, square to the off, from Brocklebank. Singleton continued his course, but at length was just too impertinent, and missed a ball from Wooller that he meant to carry the Tavern.

Cambridge had done excellently. Their bowling and fielding were good. And Barlett had shown himself to be a clever and competent captain.

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BOB SELK

Colony Sport Loses An Important Personality

DEPARTURE OF BOB SELK

At least two branches of sport in Hongkong—hockey and swimming—are going to suffer by the departure to-day for Australia of E. F. ("Bob") Selk, former sports secretary and assistant general secretary of the European Y.M.C.A.

In the course of his four and a half years sojourn in the Colony Mr. Selk, thanks largely to his ability and enterprise as an organiser, has seen the development of swimming at the Y.M.C.A., from an embryonic state to its present maturity, as well as the establishment of the "Y" as one of the leading aquatic clubs in the Colony.

He has taught dozens of young men how to swim, how to perform life saving and how to develop their prowess to the full.

A VITAL FIGURE

He played an important part in the resuscitation of hockey in the Y.M.C.A., being a regular and outstanding player himself. With the assistance of other enthusiasts, he helped to make the Y.M.C.A., one of the strongest European teams in the Colony.

Other branches of sport which he endeavoured to revive at the "Y" were tennis and squash rackets, while his clever performances for the Y.M.C.A. Amateur Dramatic Club, and his keen interest in all other phases of the work at that institution made him a vital figure in all its social activities. He will be remembered by a large section of the community as a thorough-going sportsman and a gentleman, whose advice, though never imposed, was freely given when sought.

FOOTBALL SEASON ONLY WEEK AWAY

SCOTTISH PROGRAMME AUGUST 8

Several Good Opening Games

An urgent reminder of the closeness of the new football season was the receipt in Hongkong this week of fixture lists for the English and Scottish Leagues.

The Scottish League starts next Saturday, while the English season opens on August 29—four weeks from to-day.

Charlton Athletic, one of the promoted teams from the second division opens its fixtures with a visit to Grimsby, while Manchester United signals its appearance in the first division with a home match against Wolverhampton Wanderers.

ASTON VILLA AWAY

Relegated Aston Villa has its first introduction to second division football with an away encounter against Swansea on August 29, while Blackburn Rovers, also a deposed first division team, has to visit Bury.

Newcomers to the second division, Coventry City and Chesterfield are also on the visiting list. Coventry go to Doncaster and Chesterfield travel south to Southampton.

Relegated Hull and Port Vale, who figure in the northern section of the third division clash in their first match of the season, Port Vale being the hosts. Walsall have transferred their affections to the southern section of the third division and are at home to Cardiff on the 29th.

In the Scottish League next Saturday, Celtic start off with a hot home game against St. Johnstone, while Rangers have to visit Dundee. Here is the full programme in the first division of the Scottish League for Saturday next.

Arbroath	v.	Clyde
Celtic	v.	St. Johnstone
Dundee	v.	Rangers
Dunfermline	v.	Hearts
Falkirk	v.	Hamilton
Hibernian	v.	Aberdeen
Motherwell	v.	Queen's Park
Partick	v.	Queen o'South
St. Mirren	v.	Albion
Third Lanark	v.	Kilmarnock



Thousands will be watching this done in Scotland next Saturday. The new football season arrives.

NON-TITLE FIGHT

John Lewis Beats Al Gainer

New York, July 31.

John Henry Lewis, the light heavyweight boxing champion of the world, who has two victories to his credit against Jimmy Braddock, in 1932 and 1934, to-night beat Al Gainer, a New Haven negro, in a twelve round non-title fight.

Lewis weighed in at 178 lbs. and Gainer at 177 lbs.—*United Press.*

OLYMPIC RIDERS

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TRACK EVENTS

E. H. Chambers (Polytechnic) and J. E. Sibbit (Manchester Wheelers) have been chosen for the 2,000 metres tandem race. (These two took part in the Olympic Games of 1928 at Amsterdam, when they were placed second).

The team pursuit quartet will be chosen from: T. Blick (Rover R.C.C.), H. H. Hill (Sheffield Phœnix C.C.), E. A. Johnson (Belle Vue C.C.), C. T. King (Belle Vue C.C.), E. V. Mills (Addiscombe C.C.).

Ray Hicks (Belle Vue) has been selected for the time trial over 1,000 metres, and as Denis Horn (who was the obvious choice for the sprint race) is not willing to travel to Berlin, Hicks has been entered for the sprint race, which is also over 1,000 metres.

The team left Liverpool Street Station on Thursday of this week and will compete in the track events on August 6, 7 and 8, and the road event on August 10, arriving back in London on Wednesday, August 12.

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EXCITING FINISHES AT MILITARY SWIMMING SPORTS

EAST LANCASHIRES HOLD SUCCESSFUL MEETING

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Private Ashton, Corporal McCarthy, Private Tunstall and Private Smith (05), the winners in the heats of the 50 yds. Free Style swim, provided a very flashy race in which Corporal McCarthy captured the honours with several yards to spare. Private Tunstall came second, while Private Ashton and Private Smith were third and fourth respectively.

The 50 yds. Breast Stroke heat winners, Private Davies, Corporal Fildes, Private Ashurst and Lance Corporal Thorpe, swam again, this resulting in a very close win for Corporal Fildes. Lance-Corporal Thorpe, Private Davies and Private Ashurst took second, third and fourth places respectively:

Boy Pickthall won the next event, the 25 yds. Boys' Race finals by beating Boy Goughan, Boy Roberts and Boy Derbyshire in a very close contest. Boy Derbyshire failed to uphold the laurels which were heaped on him in the heats of the 220 yds. Free Style, in which he was the only entrant to finish the race among a field of five men.

The 220 yds. Free Style was won by nearly half a length by Private Taylor from Private Lovock, who was followed by Boy Derbyshire and Private Tunstall. Privates Taylor and Lovock ploughed through the water steadily together for seven lengths, but near the last turn, Private Taylor made an added effort and began to pull away from his opponent. Boy Derbyshire made a great effort to get in front, but from the start was outdistanced by the powerful leg strokes of the two winning men. Derbyshire held a good position during the whole race, but his kick stroke was decidedly weak, and at times it seemed that his arm movement was his only means of propulsion.

THE PLUNGE

Lance-Corporal London easily captured the plunging by marking off 51 feet, a good six feet further than his nearest opponent. London's first plunge was held for such a long time that one could feel the tension in the crowd, wondering whether or not the one figure was going to come suddenly to life. When at last the man had come to a standstill the judges on the side of the pool had to yell to show him that it was time he came up. Sergeant Stopfort and Lance-Corporal Lawton took second and third places.

Directly following the plunge event, Corporal McCarthy won the 50 yds. Back Stroke. His slow single-arm stroke carried him away from Private Taylor, Corporal Fildes and Lance-Corporal London, who gained second, third and fourth places.

The Inter-Company Medley Team Relay was won by a strong team from "B" Company, while teams from "C" Company, Hq. Wing, "A" Company and "D (S)" Company captured the remaining honours.

Lance-Corporal Gorman won the High Diving, while Lance-Corporal Gregson and Private King were second and third.

The last event was the Inter-Company Free Style Team Relay, which was won by "B" Company by a good distance from Hq. Wing who had a tussle to secure second place from "A" Company.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

Lieut. Colonel A.C. Marsh, in command of the Battalion, presented the cups at the end of the meet, which he had refereed. The first cup went to the captain of "C" Company's Water Polo team which came out on top. The second award was conferred on "B" Company's Inter-Company Half Mile Swimming team. Corporal McCarthy received a cup for the 50 yds. Free Style, while Corporal Fildes was rewarded for his exhibition in the 50 yds. Breast Stroke. Boy Pickthall received a cup for winning the Boys' Race; and Private Taylor, winner of the 220 yds. Free Style, received similar recognition. Lance-Corporal London, who won the plunging event, was given the next cup, following which Lance-Corporal Gorman, winner of the high diving was given a prize. Each member of the Medley and the Free Style Relay teams were also given awards.

Lieut. Colonel Marsh made a short speech in which he stated that there had been a great amount of progress in the swimming ability of the regiment. The meet broke up with three cheers for the Colonel.

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Nina Dumbadze, a student of the Odessa School of Physical Culture, set a new standing broad jump record: 2 metres 59.5 centimetres. The previous record was 2 metres 54.5 centimetres and was also set by her. Dumbadze lags only 3 centimetres behind the world record.

How Cambridge Beat Oxford

(Continued from Page 12.)

So we return to that with which we started—Mitchell-Innes, Barton supports him, in Oxford's second venture with the bat, most ably. The 50 went up before six o'clock.

Mitchell-Innes made many glorious strokes, one 4 to extra-cover from Cameron remaining fixed in the memory. Nelson, a left-hander, had a turn at the Nursery end, and was relieved by Brocklebank, who, with his first ball, bowled Barton, playing back to a leg-break—a good ball.

For the rest, Belle, a stroke player, knew that his task was to stay with his captain. He did it. Bartlett changed the bowling often, but the end of the day came at 7 o'clock with Mitchell-Innes still batting as an English cricketer should.

CAMBRIDGE

R. P. Nelson, c Walford, b Dyson	91
A. F. T. White, hit wkt, b Dyson	19
M. Tindall, c&b M.-Wood	10
N. W. D. Yardley, c Singleton, b D.-Smith	90
H. T. Bartlett, c Matthews, b Dyson	0
P. A. Gibb, c Matthews, b Singleton	46
J. H. Pawle, b M.-Wood	40
M. Jahangir Khan, c Dyson, b M.-Innes	49
W. Wooller, c Dyson, b Seamer	37
J. B. Cameron, not out	28
J. M. Brocklebank, not out	4
B 15, lb 2, w 1	18
Total (9 wkts. dec.)	432

Second Innings.—Nelson, b D. Smith, 17; White, b M.-Innes, 5; Tindall, not out, 9; Yardley, not out, 2. Total (2 wickets), 17.

OXFORD

N. S. Mitchell-Innes, c&b Cameron	43	c Cameron b J.-Khan	84
M. R. Barton, b J.-Khan	4	b Brocklebank	28
B. H. Belle, st Gibb, b Brocklebank	48	st Gibb, b Brocklebank	20
J. N. Grover, c White, b Cameron	12	c Gibb, b J.-Khan	19
J. W. Seamer, l b w, b J.-Khan	11	b Brocklebank	43
M. M. Walford, c Yardley, b Brocklebank	40	l b w, b Brocklebank	12
W. Murray-Wood, l b w (N), b J.-Khan	0	c Gibb, b Khan	0
A. P. Singleton, b Wooller	32	c Yardley, b Brocklebank	6
M. H. Matthews, c Yardley, b Brocklebank	0	l b w (N), b Brocklebank	13
J. H. Dyson, c White b Brocklebank	3	c Gibb, b Wooller	5
R. F. H. Darwall-Smith not out	5	not out	0
B 6, l-b 3, w 2	11	l-b 1, w 2	3
Total	209	Total	230

CAMBRIDGE—FIRST INNINGS

Darwall-Smith	26	6	54	1	Murray-Wood	19	1	73	2
Mitchell-Innes	23	8	53	1	Seamer	4	0	22	1
Singleton	47	10	118	1					

OXFORD—FIRST INNINGS

Wooller	17	6	33	1	Brocklebank	30	12	47	1
Jahangir Khan	29	12	33	3	Cameron	24	3	85	2

CAMBRIDGE—Second Innings

Darwall-Smith	3	0	3	1	Mitchell-Innes	2	0	14	1

OXFORD SECOND INNINGS

Wooller	23	11	46	1	Brocklebank	27	7	92	6
Jahangir Khan	36	16	50	3	Cameron	14	2	40	0
					Nelson	7	5	8	0

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MOSCOW MAGNA CHARTA

by Spencer Williams

THROUGHOUT the broad expanse of the Soviet Union — the world's second largest empire— meetings are now being held to discuss the draft of the new constitution submitted for the country by the special Constitution Commission, with Joseph Stalin as the chairman.

This series of meetings will be extended to every factory and office, to every collective farm and village.

This is the opening move in the election of the Congress of the Soviets which will abolish future congresses of the Soviets and replace them with a Parliament elected on the basis of the free and equal participation of all Soviet citizens through a secret ballot.

The large, unwieldy congresses of the soviets, infrequently convoked, have been the starting point of the hierarchal process which shifted power into the hands of the Communist Party.

Non-Communists did get elected to these congresses, but they rarely got much farther through the successive sieves of the Central Executive Committee, the Presidium of the C.E.C., and finally the Sovnarkom, the Council of People's Commissars or cabinet.

The iron grip of the one recognised political party was firm in all these organs of Government.

Examination of the new document confirms the view that the framework of the Government is not essentially altered except in the base on which it rests.

The new Parliament—called the Supreme Council of the U.S.S.R.—is more analogous to the Central Executive Committee and its rather shadowy companion, the Council of Nationalities, than to the Soviet congresses.

THE Council of Nationalities, now to be elected by the legislatures of the constituent republics and autonomous regions, continues under the same name as the upper house of the Supreme Council.

Its membership of about 250 is to serve as a guard of the rights of the minority racial and nationalist groups within the Union, a perpetual check on tendencies toward unwelcome Russification or usurpation of power by the central government.

This chamber possesses equal rights with the second chamber over all legislation.

This provides little warrant for describing the Council of the Union as the lowest chamber, but the tendency to do so is already apparent.

This chamber, with about 600 members, bears a strong resemblance in the governmental framework to the present C.E.C.

The C.E.C. now elects a Presidium, which exercises important prerogatives, such as granting of clemency and issuing of decrees while the C.E.C. is not sitting.

In the future the two houses of the Supreme Council jointly will elect the Presidium with 31 members and a chairman, four vice-chairmen and a secretary.

A significant addition to the powers of the Presidium is the right to conduct a public referendum on important issues.

The frequent application of this right to settle great issues by resort to plebiscites would provide an interesting experiment in democracy in a country as vast as the U.S.S.R. and one where the mass of the citizenry has not been accustomed to having a voice in the making of laws.

AT hosts of assemblages within the country, the claim has been made that the new draft is the most enlightened and advanced basic law of any great nation for the following reasons.

It asserts or guarantees—

The right of every citizen to work at current rates of payment.

The right of every citizen to rest. The draft endorses the seven-hour working day, annual paid holidays, provision of rest homes and sanatoria.

The right to security in old age and in cases of invalidism.

The right to education.

Equal privileges for women.

No discrimination on account of race or nationality.

Freedom of religious worship. The right of anti-religious propaganda is restated at the same time.

Freedom of speech, the Press and of assembly.

Inviolability of the person from arrest except on order of the civil courts or prosecutor.

Inviolability of the homes of citizens and of correspondence.

The new Constitution places on the citizens definite obligations in return for these guarantees:—

The obligation to work. The principle, "He who does not work shall not eat," is written into the basic law.

The safeguarding of State property.

Universal military service as an "honourable duty."

Defence of the "fatherland."

The significance of this last duty, together with that of the definition of treason coupled with it, lies in the fact that the present constitution does not refer to treason—nor does it refer to the "fatherland." The constitution of 1923 appealed for loyalty to the world proletariat; the emphasis in the 1936 constitution is on protection of the Soviet fatherland—a word which was anathema in 1923.

Much that goes into this new constitution can be explained in the light of the Kremlin's intense desire to build up firmly a genuine Soviet patriotism.

The new constitution goes most of the way to remove the last grievances of the remnants of classes once disfranchised and discriminated against in the U.S.S.R.

The old classifications of "workers, peasants and Red Army men" are discarded in the new draft in favour of the simple classification of "toilers"—applied to all citizens doing some useful work.

Every "toiler" henceforth—whether his father was an aristocrat, a merchant, a manufacturer, a priest, a Tsarist policeman or soldier, a "kulak"—can cast his ballot in secret for a candidate of his choice; he can stand as a candidate himself even for the Supreme Council or for the Supreme Court.

The writers of this constitution do not proceed on the theory that there will be a division along Communist Party and non-Party lines.

IT is a constitution drawn specifically for a "Socialist state of workers and peasants" in which the distinctions between economic classes are presumed to have been wiped out. The expectation is that non-Party deputies in the Soviet Parliament will work to strengthen and develop the Socialist system written into the basic law.

The most zealous will continue to be admitted to the Party, but the Constitution opens the way for the non-Party man to share in the making of the Government and perhaps even rise to a high position.

Recognition of the fact that the Constitution's guarantees of the rights of the individual require a democratic and independent judiciary to make them effective is contained in the articles on the organisation of justice. The judges of the lowest tribunals, the Peoples' Courts, will be elective by the people directly, and the higher judges by the Supreme Council or the regional legislative bodies.

Court proceedings generally must be public, the defendant is assured the right of defending himself, and the judges are to consider themselves independent and answerable only for illegal conduct.

A most important stipulation is that the prosecuting officials, who alone are given the right to proceed against the persons and property of individuals, are made responsible only to the prosecutor-general of the U.S.S.R.

This promises to reduce the functions of the Commissariat for Internal Affairs (successor of the O.G.P.U.) to that of maintaining order and other police functions. The Prosecutor-General will be elected by the Supreme Council and his term of office will be seven years, while that of the deputies to the Council cannot exceed four years.

Upon the Prosecutor-General will rest much of the responsibility for the way in which the guarantees of individual rights, hitherto unknown within Russia, will in practice serve the average citizen.

"What I Saw in Russia" is the title of a brilliant series of articles, by Sir Walter Citrine, K.B.E., which begins in next Monday's "Telegraph." These articles are a first-hand account of conditions in Soviet Russia to-day. They are fearless, factual, objective and fascinatingly written.



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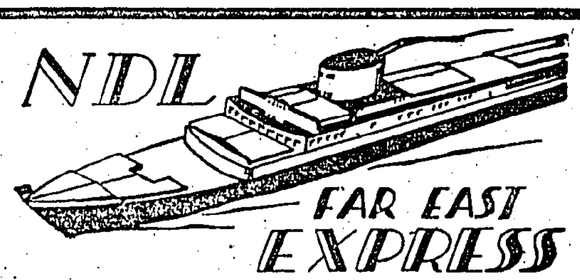
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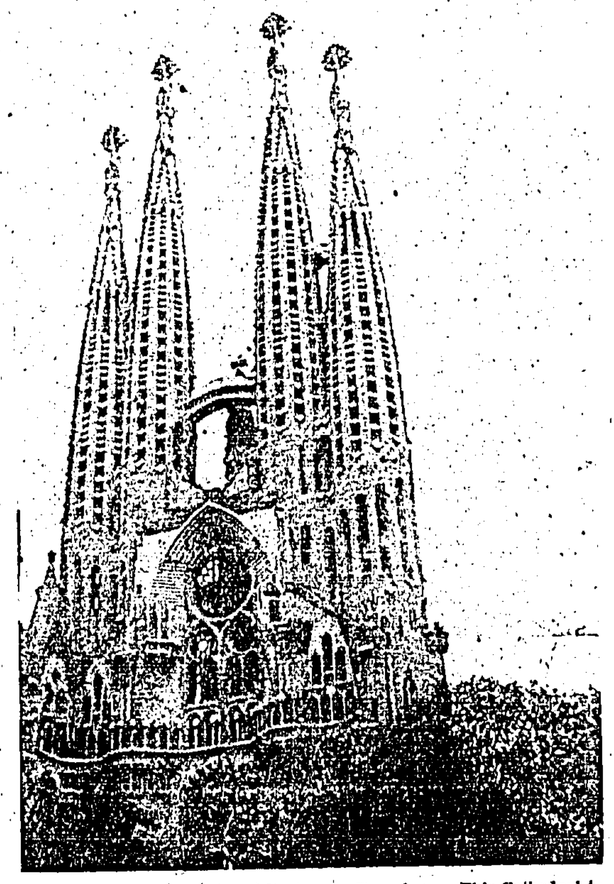
AT THE ANGLO-RUSSIAN PARLIAMENTARY DINNER.—Left to right: Mr. C. R. Attlee and Lady Citrine, Mr. Neil Maclean (who presided), talking to M. Maisky, Soviet Ambassador, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greenwood.



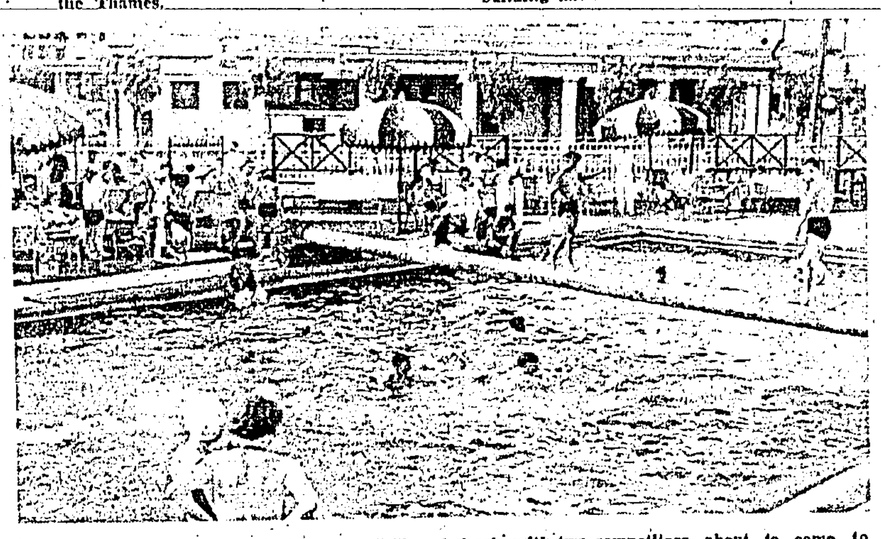
An engineer in Los Angeles has constructed this motor-bicycle for women. The film actress Avis Taunt, seen above, thinks it's "nifty."



Ex-King Prajadhipok's hobby for passing away the time is amateur film photography. In the picture the ex-King is seen taking a film of the racing at Henley Royal Regatta on the Thames.



An unusual form of architecture in Barcelona. This Cathedral is in the early stages of construction and it is estimated that thirty years will be required for completion. The spires seen in this photograph stand stark and gaunt, being surrounded by nothing but rubble, as they have been completed before the foundations of the actual building have been laid.



View of the swimming pool during a recent Shanghai gala with two competitors about to come to grips on the greasy pole.

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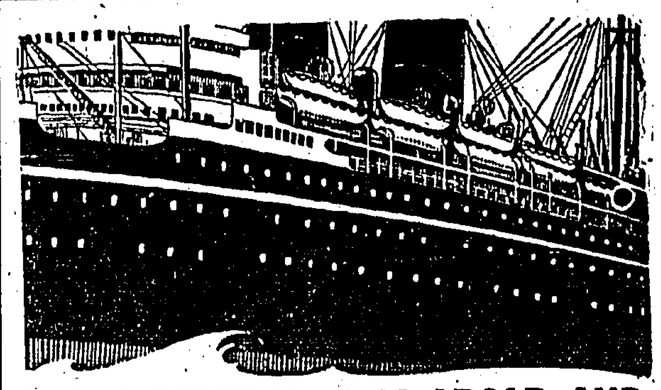
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PRISON FOR PARTS PLAYED IN REVOLT

Tokyo, July 31.

The War Office has announced further sentences in connection with the February military revolt.

Captain Itaro Yamaguchi was sentenced to life imprisonment when convicted of assisting the rebels. Lieut. Isao Arai was sentenced to six years when convicted of leaving his post of duty. Lieut. Ryozo Yamashita was given six years for assisting the rebels.

For assisting in the plan of revolt, Lieutenants Tatsue Inouye, Teshio Shoda and Goro Suzuki each were sentenced to four years' imprisonment.—*United Press.*

CANADIANS WELCOME ROOSEVELT

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and French, residing side by side in peace and friendship."

He observed the recent reciprocal trade agreement was tangible evidence of the desire of the peoples of Canada and the United States to practice what they preached—a good neighbour policy.

Speaking in French, and addressing the Premier of Quebec and the Mayor of Quebec City, President Roosevelt expressed his appreciation of the warm welcome.

ARTILLERY SALUTE

A twenty-four gun salute comvelt alighted from his train.

He was met by a guard of honour of regular infantry and a company of scarlet-coated Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

He drove through a city *en fete*, where a holiday had been proclaimed and the entire business district was menced the moment President Roose- draped in red, white and blue bunting. The United States flag was flown from all buildings, was carried on automobiles and in thousands of coat lapels. Even the Citadel, the Governor-General's executive seat, flew the Stars and Stripes.

After a private and informal conference with Lord Tweedsmuir, President Roosevelt and the Governor-General lunched at the Citadel at 1.30 p.m., and afterwards toured the city.

President Roosevelt is returning to the United States via Montreal.—*United Press.*

King Visits Yacht

TAKING MONARCH ON HOLIDAY CRUISE

London, July 31.

H.M. the King drove in a royal motor-car to Southampton Docks this afternoon on a surprise visit of inspection to Lady Yule's yacht, the Nahlin, on which he is to make a holiday tour along the Dalmatian coast.

The quayside was practically deserted when His Majesty arrived. The King remained aboard ninety minutes, and saw every nook and cranny of the yacht, over which he was conducted by Paymaster Captain Doyle.

His Majesty afterwards expressed his delight at the arrangements for the cruise and cordially shook hands with the captain and members of the crew.

The large crowd which had collected meanwhile at the dock gates cheered His Majesty on his departure.—*Reuter.*

PRISONER'S SUICIDE

St. Paul, July 31.

John Pfeiffer, the night club manager who was sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment in connection with the Hamm kidnapping, took his own life with poison in his cell to-day.—*United Press.*

PARLIAMENT RISES

London, July 31.

Parliament adjourned to-day for its summer recess, and will re-assemble on October 20.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

TIDE OF BATTLE SHIFTS SWIFTLY

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regular trains. The Government has furnished two guards for each coach.

Situation Unchanged

The situation on the three principal battle fronts, near Madrid, Saragossa and Oviedo, is unchanged. Militiamen are pouring into Guadarramas, but their movements are being guarded with the strictest secrecy.

Fighting is desultory now, loyalists waiting for the rebel attack.

Fragmentary reports from the Saragossa sector say northern, eastern and south-eastern columns are boxing the rebel forces there.

The British Consulate has spiked the rumours that Valencia has revolted, the commander of the cruiser Devonshire, in that port, verifying the normalcy of conditions.—*United Press.*

Government Gains

Madrid, Aug. 1.

Fierce fighting for the defence of the capital continues.

Government forces claim to have captured Villanueva and La Serena, which, when they were in the hands of the rebels, cut off Madrid's communications with Badajoz.

Oviedo is still in the hands of the rebels but is being heavily bombed by a miners' battalion.

Practically the entire British Colony has been evacuated from Madrid to Valencia, where H.M.S. Devonshire will pick up the refugees and convey them to Marseilles.—*Reuter.*

Badajoz Captured?

Lisbon, Aug. 1.

It is reported that Foreign Legion troops, under the rebel command, have captured Badajoz from the Government.

The insurgents claim to have stormed the Communist barracks at Guadarrama, in the mountains near Madrid, killed forty and seized thirty machine-guns.—*Reuter.*

ESSENTIAL LINKS OF EMPIRE

COMMUNICATIONS NEED GUARDING

London, July 31.

Emphasising that Empire telegraphic communications constituted an essential part of the defence problem, in the course of an address to the Bristol Summer School of the Royal Empire Society, the chairman of the Cable and Wireless, Ltd., announced that Sir Campbell Stuart would preside at the committee which would consider the whole problem.

He emphasised that hitherto the British Empire had predominated in the matter of world communications but the position was being seriously challenged and there was grave danger that these communications would become wholly uneconomic.

The Governments of the Empire, however, were agreed that a committee consisting of representatives of Dominions and Colonies should examine the matter. He was confident that a satisfactory solution would be found, the speaker said.—*Reuter.*

RAILWAYMENS' WAGES RAISED

HALF OF WORKERS' DEMANDS

London, July 31.

Four hundred thousand railwaymen receive the one and a quarter per cent. of the balance of the wage cut still outstanding made by the Companies in 1931, which represents one half of their demand.

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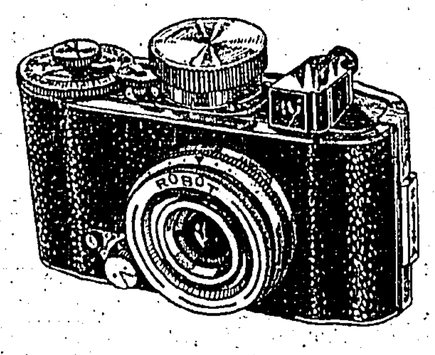


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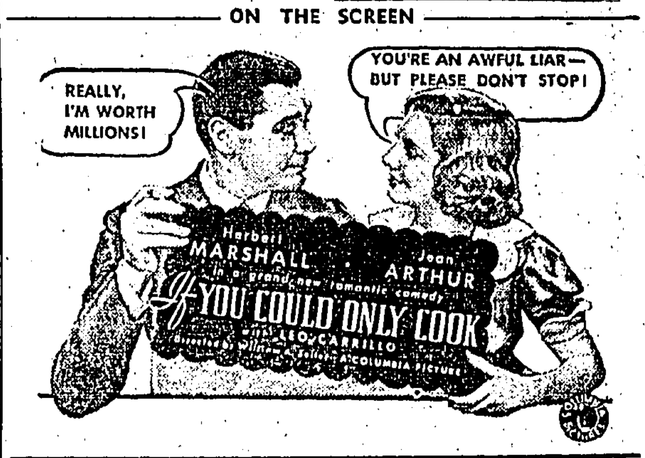


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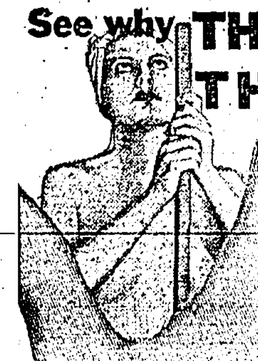
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